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SEARCH FOR MISSING PLANE IN ATLANTIC

Two Planes and Three Cutters Hunt for Ville de Buenos Aires, French Machine Which Left Natal, Brazil, Yesterday for Dakar, West Africa, and Paris, With Director of Air Line and Crew of Five

Associated Press
Rio de Janeiro, Feb. 11.—Two airplanes and three cutters started out today to search the area off the northeast coast of Brazil for the airplane Ville de Buenos Aires, missing since yesterday on a transatlantic flight.

On board the Ville de Buenos Aires were the crew of five and one passenger, Emile Barrier, Buenos Aires, director of the French airline, Air France, operator of the missing sea-plane.

The Air France seaplane Ville de Buenos Aires and the land plane Centauro started out from Natal to co-operate with three Air France cutters in a survey of approximately 30,000 square miles of sea where the Ville de Buenos Aires may have gone down.

The missing plane, which started out from Natal yesterday morning and should have reached Dakar, West Africa, in eighteen or nineteen hours, had as crew:

First Pilot Ponce; Second Pilot Colonel; Navigator L'Hottier; Mechanic Parre; and Radio Operator Manet.

ELIERS LAST MESSAGE
The last message from the plane was received at about 1 p.m. (8 a.m. P.S.T.) yesterday. Manet reported the plane was 610 miles northeast of Natal and flying at an altitude of 400 feet.

The message closed with the conventional "Tout va bien"—all is well. The Ville de Buenos Aires, searching for the missing liner, crossed the 2,000 miles from Dakar to Natal overnight, arriving at Natal at 4:30 a.m. today.

Its crew reported it had seen no signs of its sister ship.

As soon as it was refueled, it started out on the search.

BOTTLE DRIFTED FAR
St. Catharines, Ont., Feb. 11. (Canadian Press)—Mrs. George Cronin of St. Catharines has just heard of the sighting of a bottle dropped in middle of the Atlantic Ocean August 12, 1935, asking the finder to notify her. It was picked up by Joseph Robins at the village of Palfin, on the French Coast of the English Channel.

INCOME TAX FOR ONTARIO SOON

Speech From Throne at Opening of Legislature Forebodes New Power Contracts and School Re-organization

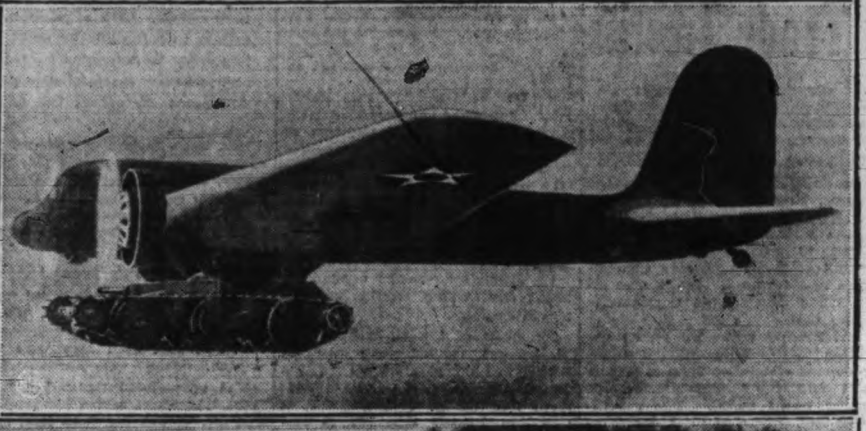
Canadian Press
Toronto, Feb. 11.—Legislation "to provide a more equitable distribution of taxes levied for educational purposes and to improve the organization of the rural schools of the province" respecting municipal taxation of income of corporations, setting up a provincial income tax and amending several existing acts were forecast in the speech from the Throne read by Lieutenant-Governor Herbert A. Bruce at the opening of the Ontario Legislature today.

Lord Tweedsmuir to Visit Coast in August

Governor-General and Lady Tweedsmuir to Come to Victoria; Will Open Vancouver Jubilee Exhibition

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The governor-general and Lady Tweedsmuir will pay their first official visit to Vancouver during August to attend the city's Golden Jubilee celebration and will open the Canada Pacific Exhibition at Hastings Park, August 26. J. K. Matheson, managing director of the jubilee society announced today. It was originally planned to invite Lord and Lady Tweedsmuir to Van-

Flying Tank Visioned As New War Monster



A war machine that appears like the embodiment of a fantastic dream is the "flying tank" shown in the upper photograph composite with the plane that would carry it, in plans being developed by Walter J. Christie of New York, inventor of the convertible speed tank shown in the lower photo. The tank is shown suspended under the plane's fuselage. In landing, the wheels of the plane are lowered. The tank, its inventor asserts, is capable of traveling sixty-five miles an hour with caterpillars attached and ninety miles an hour without them. Its adoption is being considered by the U. S. government.

HOLDS GROUND IN FIGHT FOR LIFE



Suffering from haemophilia, the former Crown Prince of Spain, Count Cavadonga, is battling for recovery at Havana. Some days ago it was feared he was dying, but a new method of treatment is now giving hope he will shake off the threat and perhaps be in better health than he has heretofore enjoyed.

Bennett Attempts To Raise Prejudice Says Premier King

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Premier King continued the Throne Speech debate in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Canadian Hockey Team Beaten By England 2-1

Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—England defeated Canada 2 to 1 in the important Olympic ice hockey game here tonight. It was the major upset of the games to date. The fixture marked the start of second round robin series for the two teams.

Statement Reviews Shortages In Fund

Report on Discrepancies in Fire Department Before City Council; Mayor Leeming Issues Statement of Camera Meeting
Discrepancies which have occurred in the city fire department were under review at a camera meeting of the City Council yesterday evening, which was followed by a statement from Mayor Leeming explaining the discovery of the shortages.

Main Estimates Laid Before Commons Show Drop From Last Year

INVESTIGATION OF HOSPITALS
Total Is \$12,081,994 Less Than Voted At This Time In 1935; Emergency Estimates Later Will Provide for Relief and Other Extraordinary Calls

Dr. G. F. Amyot Named to Gather Data on Problem in British Columbia

An investigation of the hospital situation in British Columbia will be undertaken for Hon. G. M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, the minister announced today.

Labor Urges Wage Increases

Government Should Lead in Restoring Salaries, Says Trades Delegation
Restoration of government salaries and wages, public works to provide employment, and a six-hour day, five-day week to distribute the available jobs among as many as possible, was urged by organized labor of British Columbia today in an interview with the provincial cabinet.

M. MACDONALD IS ELECTED

Dominions Secretary Returned to British Commons For Cromarty
Dingwall, Scotland, Feb. 11.—Malcolm MacDonald, Dominions Secretary, was elected to the House of Commons for the Ross and Cromarty constituency in the by-election held Monday. The result was made known late today.

JAPAN SPOKESMAN



Speaking for Japan in his capacity as chief of the bureau of information in the Foreign Office at Tokyo, Elji Amnu, above, has started diplomats with his forceful statements, especially his "hands off China" warning, to other powers and other recent sharp replies on Far Eastern questions.

REDUCTIONS SHOWN

Estimates for the next fiscal year on ordinary and capital account show a reduction of \$12,081,994, compared with those for the current fiscal year. The reductions are generally distributed throughout the various spending departments, although in some instances there are increases.

SECTION 98 IS TO BE CHANGED

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Legislation in connection with Section 98 of the Criminal Code will be introduced at the present session of parliament, Hon. Ernest Lapointe, Minister of Justice, told the House of Commons this afternoon.

STONE FOR CITY HALL

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Haddington Island stone for exterior finishing of Vancouver new city hall at Strathcona Park will cost approximately \$75,000, delivered to the site, according to a letter received by the City Council from Townley & Matheson, architects.

BIG U.S. DEFENCE VOTE IS SPEEDED

Backers of Record Appropriation Hope House at Washington Will Approve It This Evening
Washington, Feb. 11.—The State Department pointedly held aloof today from anti-Japanese criticism in a Congress, where advocates of a stronger army and navy are demanding quick action to bolster national defenses.

Say Boundary Clashes Provoked

Russians Declare Japanese Causing Trouble at Siberia-Manchukuo Line
Moscow, Feb. 11.—A Soviet news dispatch from Urgan (Ulan Bator, Khoto), Outer Mongolia, charged today that Japanese and Manchukuo troops were being concentrated along the Outer Mongolian border in preparation for "new and more serious provocations."

TOWN RETAKEN BY ETHIOPIANS

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Italian battle planes, continuing their intense week-end air attacks on the northern front, rained death and destruction on Quola; it was reported. Three persons were killed and property damage was large.

A number of other persons were wounded when airplanes bombed Quoram, Aschlangi and Waldis, yesterday.

ITALIAN LINES CUT
Associated Press
Addis Ababa, Feb. 11.—The Ethiopian government reported today that Italian planes had been seen in the air over the Addis-Makale road behind the Italian front lines.

The government, at the same time, denied reports that Ras Seyoum was defeated Sunday in an attempt to take Makale, forward point of the Italian northern front.

EMPEROR RETURNS
Emperor Haile Selassie was reported reliably to have returned to the capital from his day's field headquarters, behind the northern front, after several flights last week, including a visit to the southwestern Sidamo province sector.

Government authorities said the Ethiopians had no intention of wasting lives in a direct assault on the well-fortified Italian position at Makale, but preferred to harass the Italian lines of communications.

Dedjermach, Khabada, estranged uncle of Ras Haile Selassie, who went over to the Italian side, told the Associated Press:

"The emperor has captured have done more value than our houses in Makale. We'll take Makale when we walk in."

ITALIAN REPORT
Rome, Feb. 11 (Associated Press).—Marshal Pietro Badoglio reported today, in an official Italian war communiqué, "Nothing new on the Italian front."

From a military source today came a statement Gen. Rodolfo Graziani, commander of the Italian forces in southern Ethiopia, would soon launch an offensive against Harar and Jigjiga.

This source said Graziani has left Neghelli for the southeastern front.

Statement Reviews
Shortages in Fund
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payments for oil burner fees. This condition of affairs was the subject of my attention by Alderman Walter Luney, chairman of the fire wardens. Restitution was made of the amount, and the employee making restitution left the employ of the city at that time.

"Owing to the circumstances, it was considered it might be difficult to prove it was a willful abstraction of funds, and on that account the matter was not given publicity."

"On January 30 of this year, Alderman Luney mentioned to me that three cheques drawn by his firm in favor of the city had been outstanding. I asked Alderman Luney and the comptroller to investigate the fire department to see what was wrong there. Investigation revealed that fees for permits to install gasoline tanks were not being accounted for. The investigation showed a shortage. The amount of the three cheques outstanding was \$47, which amount was paid in by Luney Brothers. A further amount of \$30 by another contractor, whose firm had made a payment of a similar kind, also was paid to the city."

"It has been a case of misplaced confidence and the city has suffered no financial loss. A stringent check-up of all departments is being made and the method of handling money very considerably tightened. It would appear under these defalcations and the other larger one that the city or the taxpayers as a whole would not suffer any loss," Alderman Luney said.

NO PROOF OF DEFAULT
Mayor Leeming said there was no proof there had been any default. Alderman McGavin questioned him further on this point and the Mayor explained there were two instances

of this kind which had occurred. The first was last October, when the man resigned and a shortage of \$98 had been drawn to his attention. The man had denied default of this amount but had made it good to save any trouble, the Mayor said. In the other case, the amount had also been made good, but in the first instance it was not felt there was a default.

Alderman Luney explained further that the second case referred to (in which no specific sum was mentioned) these shortages dated back over the last seven years into former Chief Vernon Stewart's time.

Alderman J. D. Hunter, a member of the firewardens said he had known nothing whatever about any shortages until last Saturday morning.

CRITICIZES SYSTEM
Alderman R. A. C. Dewar said he thought it was a mistake that any money should be handled in the fire department. All burner and permit fees should be handled through the city treasury, he said.

The Mayor said recommendations of the fire wardens would deal with this phase of the question.

Alderman Archie Willis said he thought the aldermen who introduced this matter should be more fair to the rest of the council and explain it more fully. He demanded a fuller explanation than that contained in the five lines of the fire wardens' report.

Alderman P. R. Brown said it would be dealt with more completely in camera.

Alderman McGavin then objected to going into camera.

When the vote to go into camera was taken he voted against it and the council was deadlocked because a vote for camera was required to be unanimous.

Mayor Leeming then refused on the advice of the city solicitor to read in public the matter from the city comptroller.

There followed a discussion during which an alderman's position in a camera meeting was discussed and it was explained that he did sit in a camera session and then divulge his information outside he did so on his own responsibility.

Alderman McGavin then agreed to vote with the council to go into camera.

Income Tax For Ontario Soon
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POWER PROPOSALS
Recalling the cancellation by legislation passed last session of power purchase contracts with Quebec hydro companies, the speech said the government would submit certain new proposals to the Legislature.

Tribute was paid to the late King George and the speech expressed "our loyal devotion and affection" to King Edward VIII. Sympathy was extended to the sovereign on the death of his aunt, Princess Victoria, and he was congratulated on the marriage of his brother, the Duke of Gloucester.

BRIEF PROGRAMME
The legislative programme forecast was brief. In addition to the new measures, the speech said amendments would be made to the Gasoline Tax Act, the Game and Fisheries Act, the Minimum Wage Act, the Apprenticeship Act and the Municipal Act. There would be legislation to regulate fumigation "and for various other purposes."

Labor Urges Wage Increases
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UNIVERSAL WAGE MINIMUM
While agreeing that the present minimum wage legislation had been effective in helping some citizens, the labor men favored a universal minimum wage without any exemptions.

Health insurance, the delegation submitted, should go ahead and should cover all persons regardless of salary and made compulsory in these respects.

Bennett Attempts To Raise Prejudice Says Premier King

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as the "Little Corporal from Sorel" and charged he was able to force his will on the Prime Minister. The Conservative leader, he said, was making a deliberate attempt to create a prejudice against Quebec.

Mr. King said he had received loyal support from Quebec for years, but today he had even a larger and equally loyal following from Ontario. It ill behooved the opposition leader, Mr. King said, at the start of a Parliament, to seek to create prejudices in the eyes of the electorate on charges of provincial domination.

BY HIS SIDE
The "Little Corporal from Sorel" (Mr. Cardin), said Mr. King, was at his side as loyal and faithful as he had been at any time in his political career. In the formation of the present government there had been less difficulty than in the formation of any other government.

In forming any government there were difficulties and even hardships to be faced. One of the greatest of these was when a Prime Minister had to pass over men who had been members of former governments, Premier King said.

It was the duty of a Prime Minister to the country to call upon as well as to the council table. There were two former ministers whom he would have liked to have in the cabinet.

BENNETT'S RECORD
Before the election Mr. Bennett had the largest following any Conservative Prime Minister ever had. Today he had the smallest following any Conservative leader ever had. That was the measure of Mr. Bennett's success in managing his party and dealing with his colleagues, Mr. King said.

Mr. Bennett had referred to anonymous circulars about circulated in Quebec. He should have known these would never be countenanced by any responsible member of the Liberal Party.

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Prime Minister King this afternoon replied to a many-sided criticism of his government's policies and actions in his four months of office from former Prime Minister Bennett.

The Prime Minister spoke for only a short time yesterday evening and continued his address when the Commons met today.

Mr. King rose shortly before adjournment hour yesterday and said Mr. Bennett's denial of the "one-man government" charge was scarcely borne out of his speech. The length at which he spoke and the number of subjects he covered would indicate he was about to be a "one-man opposition."

Mr. Bennett claimed he had always informed his ministers fully of all government business, the Prime Minister continued. He had neglected to say that not one of his ministers knew anything of last session's legislative programme until they heard it over the radio.

"That statement is not correct," interjected Mr. Bennett.

"You may say it but no one else does," said Mr. King.

The speeches were not read in council, said Mr. Bennett, "but their sense was made known long before."

"Then it was so long before it was completely out of their memory," replied the Prime Minister.

MOVE FAST TO GET TREATY
Referring to the United States trade treaty, Mr. King objected to Mr. Bennett's statement that it had been concluded hurriedly. The government had to move fast if it was to obtain a treaty at all.

If he had said anything that hurt Mr. Bennett's feelings about appointing his brother-in-law, Hon. W. D. Herridge, as Minister at Washington, he apologized. Any criticism he had made had been made as a matter of duty. Had Mr. Bennett had a little better sense of the fitness of things he would not have chosen a relative for that high post.

What he had meant to say in his Winnipeg speech was not that Mr. Bennett had recalled Mr. Massey from Washington, but that Mr. Massey had been willing to return but Mr. Bennett had refused to send him.

SHIP CALLS AID OFF CALIFORNIA

Associated Press

San Francisco, Feb. 11.—The British motorship Loch Ranza sent a distress call to-day, saying the ship was "not under command" fourteen miles west of Fort Bragg off the northern California coast.

The Chamber of Commerce Marine Exchange here said the vessel possibly was experiencing motor or propeller trouble.

A coastguard cutter, the Ewing, hurried to assist the Loch Ranza. The British vessel was en route from Cardiff to Vancouver, B.C.

Bennett Against Trade Treaties

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way calculated to lose money for the Dominion treasury.

PARLIAMENTARY CONTROL
In drafting the Speech from the Throne, he said, Mr. King had put words in the Governor-General's mouth which were silly. This referred to the restoration of the control of Parliament over expenditures and taxation. Parliament always had control, the Conservative leader said.

Mr. Bennett registered strong objection to the terms of the order-in-council dismissing John I. McFarland and other members of the former wheat board. The government had chosen to blast the reputations of men who had given good service, one of them without cost to the treasury, he said. How could any sort of reliable public service be maintained if men were to be treated in this way?

PRICES OF WHEAT
Although Canadian wheat was superior to Argentine wheat and had for many years commanded a higher price, Argentine wheat was now selling at a price 8 cents higher than Canadian, he said. Experienced traders knew why Canadian wheat should not be selling 10 cents higher now than was.

Buyers abroad now had the idea Canada would sell wheat at any price so long as it could sell. Consequently they were demanding lower prices. The fixed minimum price at which the wheat board bought was 87½ cents and the lower the market price dropped the more money the board lost and the more the treasury had to put up. Wheat traders who sold at 87 cents or better were able to buy up their requirements to fill their orders at 88 cents.

The new board had again permitted trading in October futures. Thus wheat was now being bought and sold before it was sown. That was gambling, he said. Organized farmers had objected to trading in October futures and under the former government it was forbidden.

ATTITUDE ON TRADE AGREEMENT
The former Prime Minister said that in the new trade agreement with the United States Canada had given too much for concessions won from the United States. As a matter of balance—weighing advantages against disadvantages, it was a bad bargain for Canada.

"This bargain," declared Mr. Bennett while his followers pounded their desks in approval, "is against my country. It is against Canada. It is against its development, its future and against everything for which we have toiled and sacrificed to create."

Under no circumstances would his government have approved the treaty in its present form. Mr. Bennett said, because it was not prepared to sacrifice Canada.

It had been difficult, he said, for him to refuse to make a treaty when

he could have made one and got credit for it on eve of an election, but he had done so because he felt it would be against Canada's interest.

JAPANESE TRADE PACT
The trade agreement with Japan would create a "very sorry day for Canada" and would bring disaster to Canada within two years, he said.

He had been offered the same terms by Japan when he headed the government, but turned them down.

CONTROL OF C.N.R.
With regard to railways, Mr. Bennett said it was clear the Minister of Railways did not appreciate the terms of the act setting up the board of trustees for the Canadian National Railway or he would not have made the statements he made. He would await the legislation forecast to bring about more government control over the Canadian National.

Parliamentary secretaries had been tried in Parliament before and had failed, he said. He thought the idea would be no more successful now although he wished this was not so.

PAY COMPLEMENTS
Mr. Bennett congratulated the government on the consolidation of departments and establishment of a central treasury board. It was wise to take these steps at once as his own experience had shown they could only be accomplished immediately after an election.

COMPULSORY VOTING
Mr. Bennett advocated compulsory voting and limiting election costs in constituencies.

He spoke of the majority of the government which he predicted would become troublesome in the future. It was not true the government had the greatest majority in Canadian history although it had 171 members out of 245.

The government, Mr. Bennett said, "has been placed there by less than thirty-five out of 100 of the men and women who had the right to vote at the last election."

That was an anomaly, Mr. Bennett said, "that cannot endure if democracy is to last." The government was not only without a majority of those who voted, but was supported by only one-third of those entitled to vote. The popular will of the country was not represented.

OIL SANCTIONS
Mr. Bennett accused the government of portraying Canada as a nation of regulators over the oil sanctions proposal at Geneva and of giving moral support and succor to Italy, an aggressor nation.

He expressed the view that the textile inquiry was illegal because it touched a single industry in a particular province.

URGES HYDRO SOLUTION
After referring to Ontario's hydro contract legislation and claiming it prejudiced national credit, Mr. Bennett urged the government seek a Modus Vivendi that would counteract the reluctance of foreign investors to send their money to Canada.

A SLIGHT SPEARS
Arthur Slaght, Liberal, Parry Sound, Ont., moved the formal motion of thanks for the Speech from the Throne as he opened the debate yesterday afternoon.

Foremost among the achievements of the new government, Mr. Slaght said, was the Canada-United States trade treaty. This fulfilled a dream cherished by the former Liberal leader, Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

Sir Arthur Tupper, Liberal, Malton, Ontario, moved the motion, He is the youngest member on the government side and lacks only two or three months of being the youngest in the House.

He said the electors had realized the principles of freer trade which had been the principles of the Liberal party for forty years were what Canada needed.

Seattle, Feb. 11 (Associated Press).—Fred Bassett, nineteen-year-old student, was recovering from exposure today as a result of being buried in five feet of snow while skiing near Snoqualmie Summit Sunday. He was rescued, nearly unconscious, by his cousin, Norman Finne, eighteen, who dug Bassett out of the drift with his hands.

MISSIONARIES TO BE FREED

Toronto and Illinois Men Held in War Zone By Ethiopian Chief; Release Ordered

By ALBERT W. WILSON, Associated Press Correspondent
Addis Ababa, Feb. 11.—Two North American missionaries who refused to leave the danger zone have been under arrest in southwestern Gamo Province.

Crown Prince Asfa Wahan was learned today to have ordered their release. Lack of communications with the interior made it impossible to determine immediately whether the local chieftain who made the arrests had complied with the order.

Rev. John Trewin of Toronto was under arrest, but not shackled. Rev. Harold Street of Paxton, Ill., the other captive, has been shackled with a dog chain connecting his legs. Mrs. Street and her four children were under guard.

BOTH TREATED
Both missionaries are members of the Sudan Interior Mission. Dr. T. A. Lambie, head of the mission in Ethiopia, said both men were well treated.

The government received a letter from Mrs. Street saying her husband and Mr. Trewin had been held since January 27.

She said the two men were seized at their station at Slama, fifty miles south of Chench, capital of Gamo Province, 350 miles southwest of Addis Ababa. On January 28 they were taken to Chench.

Mrs. Street said she and her children remained at Slama under guard. The Crown Prince issued orders two days ago that the missionaries be freed. Reports that eight persons were imprisoned were denied officially.

SAFETY MEASURE
Before the Italo-Ethiopian war started last October, Cornelius Van H. Engert, now United States consul-general to Ethiopia, accepted a proposal by Ethiopian Foreign Minister Beldalen Gueta Heroy that any British subjects and United States citizens in what was considered a dan-

gerous area could be ordered to go elsewhere.

Government officials described the action of the Gamo chieftain as "overzealousness" for the safety of the missionaries.

Dr. T. A. Lambie of Toronto, field director of the Ethiopian mission service, expressed concern when told of publication of reports from Djibouti, French Somaliland, that the Canadian and Americans were held in chains at Chench.

Authorities said, however, that the Gamo chieftain had ordered a light dog chain attached to Mr. Street's legs.

No chain of any kind, they said, was imposed on Trewin.

TORONTO RELATIVES
Toronto, Feb. 11.—Relatives of John Trewin, Toronto missionary reported arrested and released on the order of Crown Prince Asfa Wahan in southwestern Ethiopia, expressed relief today that he had been freed.

"If the emperor had been at home there would never have been any trouble," said Miss A. Forbes, an aunt of the Toronto missionary. "The Emperor is friendly to missionaries of the Interior Sudan Mission."

Mr. Trewin was reported held by Rev. Harold Street of Paxton, Ill., because they had declined to move to a safer locality than their station at Gamo Province.

Mr. Trewin is thirty-five years old and a bachelor. The last time his family here heard from him was in a letter written December 23, 1935, from the Soddy station.

Four brothers, Howard, Norman, Frank and Robert, live in Toronto. A fifth, George, is at Shoal Lake, Man., and four sisters of the Toronto missionary live here.

SIR E. IRONSIDE HERE MARCH 14
Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Lieut.-General Sir Edmund Ironside, K.C.B., one-time senior staff officer of the 4th Canadian Division, will arrive at Victoria and Vancouver from India, en route to the United Kingdom, on March 14. It was learned at defence headquarters here today.

Sir Edmund's choice of the route home by way of Canada is due to his expressed desire to meet again some of his many comrades-in-arms scattered across Canada. He plans to sail from Saint John on April 3.

NEW SPRING SHOWING
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Big U.S. Defence Vote Is Speeded

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strengthen western defenses, was introduced yesterday. It was not, however, accompanied by criticism of any nation.

Representative Blanton, Texas, Democrat, who recently returned from a visit to Hawaii, said in opening debate on the bill:

"I want to see enough 16-inch guns on our coast and in our possessions so that if one of these 550,000 modern battleships comes within twenty-seven miles of our coast with designs against us we could blow it out of the sea—and that's what we expect to do."

STEEL SHIPMENTS
New York, Feb. 11 (Associated Press).—U.S. Steel Corporation reported to-day January shipments of finished steel products increased 59,899 tons to the highest January total since 1931.

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Local Fowl, lb. 22c

Sirloin Steak, lb. 22c

T-bone Steak, lb. 22c

HAM—Sliced, for breakfast. Centre cut, lb. 25c

Brookfield Cheese 13c

Wiener, Pacific, lb. 20c

Lean Steak and Kidney 2 lbs. 29c

BUTTER PIGGLY WIGGLY FIRST GRADE lb. 26c 3 lbs. 75c

EGGS, Grade A Large, Loose, doz. 28c

BACON PIGGLY WIGGLY 1/2-lb., Side, Sliced 13c

FOR HEALTHY CHILDREN

ROGERS' GOLDEN RECIPES

GOLDEN SUET PUDDING

2 cups flour
1 teaspoon salt

Mix flour, salt and baking powder together. Work in the grated suet. Add enough water to mix into a soft dough.

Put Golden Syrup in the bottom of a pudding bowl and put the dough on top. Steam for 2 1/2 hours.

Note—Always use pure pudding and suet in one bowl. Whipped cream can be used as a garnish, but it is not necessary.

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ROGERS' GOLDEN SYRUP

LETTER TO "MAYOR OF ONTARIO"

Canadian Press
Toronto, Feb. 11.—A letter, postmarked from the south of England and addressed "Mayor of Ontario," puzzled postal officials. They finally sent it to Premier Hepburn's office at the Ontario government buildings.

The letter, which was dated February 10, was addressed to the Mayor of Ontario, and was signed "J. D. Hunter."

The letter was received by the Ontario government buildings at 10:55 p.m.

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ALBERTA DRAMA TESTS ARE HELD

Calgary, Feb. 11.—The Edmonton Little Theatre group will represent Alberta in the Dominion drama festival at Ottawa. When the regional festival closed here Saturday night, Allan Wade of London, England, the adjudicator, decided the Edmonton Club's presentation was the best of eleven plays given during the three-night programme.

The festival was marked by the closest competition since the drama contests were inaugurated in Alberta and Mr. Wade chose the Edmonton Players' presentation, "The Refusal to Be Resurrected," by N. K. Smith, only after considering which of the comedies was the better play and which had the better ensemble.

Third place went to Innisfail Amateur Players who produced "What Never Dies," by Percival Wilde.

Mr. Wade said the Edmonton ensemble came very near the professional standard and the play had stood the test of twenty years, while the Calgary play was dated.

ELECTION CHEQUES 125,000 IN NUMBER

Report of Chief Electoral Officer Is Tabled in House of Commons

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—About 125,000 cheques were required to pay off deputy returning officers, poll clerks and landowners of polling stations for the last general election, according to a report tabled in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon by Jules Castonguay, chief electoral officer. These are going out at the rate of from 1,200 to 1,500 a day from the auditor-general's branch. The report estimated it would take until March 1 to send out all the cheques.

The chief electoral officer commented on the fact this was the first election held with lists of electors prepared under provisions of the Dominion Franchise Act. "Printed copies of these lists of electors were available to the returning officer of every electoral district before the writ of election was issued on August 15 last," he reported. "It cannot be said, however, as to other aspects that the new list-making procedure proved to be an improvement on the old."

CARD SYSTEM

He referred to the fact a notification postcard was sent to each voter whose name appeared on the list of electors. Approximately 6,000,000 of these cards were sent out. "This appeared to be appreciated by the electors, candidates and election workers and I am in favor of its con-

tinuance at future elections," Mr. Castonguay stated.

The change from "open electoral lists" to "closed" lists "apparently caused considerable misunderstanding and dissatisfaction among rural electors," in the opinion of the chief electoral officer.

Difficulty was experienced in distribution and collection of ballot boxes, Mr. Castonguay reported.

In several remote electoral districts the box either did not reach its destination in time for the poll to be held or was not returned in time for the votes to be included in the final addition. Weather conditions, in some cases made it impossible to get the boxes through, either going or coming.

URGE MINE CARS BE MADE SAFER

Nanaimo, Feb. 11.—A coroner's jury here yesterday found that John William Bilton was killed by No. 1 mine of the Western Fuel Company here on Thursday last by being crushed by a car of timbers, which ran back over him through the shearing of the pulley spindle, which was worn through by lubrication not reaching the rotating parts. They recommended that in future all pulleys used for this particular work be bushed, and proper ways of lubrication be placed in same; also that all spindles be held in position by properly fitted nut and split pin.

"BASIC DIVIDEND" MAN IS HUNTED

Canadian Press
Edmonton, Feb. 11.—Only Albertan to receive a basic dividend, did so on his own initiative, with the result that police are seeking him for fleeing an unsuspecting departmental store cashier.

Entering a downtown store, a man made a small purchase and presented a cheque for \$35 in payment. He received the bulk of this amount in change. The paper bore the name of Premier William Aberhart for the signature, but the fact it was a forgery brought the law on the man's trail.

Only a vague description of a "middle-aged" man was given.

DELAY CHURCH NEGOTIATIONS

Canadian Press from Havas
Berlin, Feb. 11.—Negotiations for an agreement between the Roman Catholic Church and the government of Nazi Germany have been postponed.

It was officially announced that Hans Kerrl, Minister of Religion, was overworked and needed a rest, and that negotiations would be resumed later. But usually well-informed observers predicted to-day they would be dropped.

These sources indicated Catholic bishops had received instructions from the Vatican not to negotiate on concrete points of the concordat between the Reich and the Holy See without first clarifying questions of principle which the Catholic Church considers of prime importance.

F. C. WILSON, VANCOUVER, DIES

Canadian Press
Vancouver, Feb. 11.—The death of Frederick Charles Wilson is mourned here. A well-known Vancouver teacher and formerly of Winnipeg, he was sixty-five years of age.

He was born in Bruce County, Ontario, and taught school in Winnipeg for a number of years before being appointed to the staff of the Vancouver school board in 1906. He retired in 1935 owing to ill-health.

Franklin Wilson of Penikese, B.C., is a brother.

ITALIAN REPORT ON ETHIOPIA IS DENIED

Canadian Press from Havas
London, Feb. 11.—The British Government has moved to refute a report broadcast by an Italian radio station on January 30 that European officers were training and leading the army of Ras Desta Demtu in southern Ethiopia. Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden revealed this in the House of Commons yesterday.

Mr. Eden also indicated that Sir Eric Drummond, British ambassador at Rome, had received an assurance of an official inquiry would be instituted by the Italian government.

Mr. Eden, answering other questions, confirmed the reported bombing of Ethiopian Red Cross units by Italian planes several weeks ago.

MESSAGE FROM KING

London, Feb. 11 (Canadian Press)—The King yesterday sent a message of sympathy to Eamon de Valera, President of the Irish Free State, on the death of his son, Brian.

Report Reveals Leaders' Views

House of Commons Given Documents of Provincial Conference

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—Expressions of opinion on outstanding problems by some of the provincial premiers were interesting sidelights of the December Dominion-provincial conference, disclosed in an official record tabled in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon.

All specific proposals adopted at the conference were announced and published when the gathering adjourned December 13, after a five-day session. The official record gives, in addition to what was published, a Hansard report of the speeches delivered at the closing plenary session.

Hon. A. W. Roebuck, Attorney-General of Ontario, moved adoption of the reports of the subcommittees, and was seconded by Premier L. A. Taschereau of Quebec.

OUTSTANDING RESULTS

Decision of the conference to move for the enactment of a British statute transferring to Canada the power to amend its own constitution, and the announced intention of the government to increase relief grants to the provinces, were looked on by most of the speakers as the outstanding results of the conference.

REFUNDING OF DEBTS

In an address on behalf of Premier Hepburn of Ontario, who left Ottawa before the conference was concluded, Mr. Roebuck explained his leader had been ill and regretted he could not stay for the concluding session. "Mr. Hepburn desires me to say," the Attorney-General continued, "that he looks forward, notwithstanding the failure to arrive at any specific conclusion at present, to some progress yet being achieved in connection with his proposal for the refunding of provincial and municipal debts."

Referring to the work of the committee on unemployment and relief, Mr. Roebuck said the report "impresses me as dealing not so much with this problem of employment as with the practical administration of the problem of relief. I would call the Prime Minister's attention to this fact that in his addresses during the election campaign, yes, and in that which followed the victory of the Liberal Party, he stated unemployment and its cure was the supreme question of Canada today."

QUESTION OF EMPLOYMENT

"Except for one little reference in the report from the committee on unemployment with regard to an increase in unemployment, I note nothing at all in these reports with respect to providing employment."

Prime Minister King called Mr. Roebuck's attention to the printed statement of the Liberal policy which opened with the declaration that "the Liberal Party believes unemployment is Canada's most urgent national problem." He referred to the proposal of the government to set up a national commission which would not only seek to increase employment but supervise relief administration.

The conference of provincial governments had now given unanimous approval of this move and creation of the commission would begin as soon as possible. It had been the announced policy of the Liberal Party to revive employment by widening trade channels.

"We have made, we believe, a very real beginning in providing work in the most effective manner," the Prime Minister said, referring to trade agreements already made.

Reference was made by several provincial premiers to the decision reached on the move to obtain constitutional autonomy, but Premier A. A. Dymally of New Brunswick, whose delegation cast the only dissenting vote on the resolution on constitutional amendments, did not mention this phase of the conference's work.

QUEBEC VIEWS

Mr. Taschereau observed it might seem he had altered his views on the question of constitutional amendments. If he had it was because he had seen "the good spirit that prevailed on the part of representatives of the provinces—a spirit of co-operation, a spirit of toleration toward minorities."

Endorsing reports of the subcommittees, Premier T. D. Pattullo of British Columbia urged steps be taken to provide work rather than doles. He would not only have Canada enjoy the right to amend her constitution, but to enact it, he said.

The conference had been given so much advance publicity he feared "we shall be criticized on our return for not being able to tell our people that anything very definite has been accomplished."

ABERNATH SPEAKS

Premier William Aberhart of Alberta, head of the world's only Social Credit Government, expressed satisfaction with the manner in which the conference had been conducted and in the results achieved. There was no doubt of Alberta's support of the move for constitutional reform.

New Engineer For Evanston, Ill.

Associated Press
Evanston, Ill., Feb. 11.—George W. Craig, former head of the Asphalt Institute of New York and city engineer at Calgary, took office today as Evanston commissioner of public works.

He was named recently by the city council to succeed Arthur W. Hanford, resigned.

From 1897 to 1913, Mr. Craig was assistant city engineer and engineer at Omaha, Neb. He was at Calgary until 1929 and headed the institute for the next seven years.

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NEW ZEALAND AIDS FARMERS

Wheat \$1.05 a Bushel Under Labor Government's New Scheme

Canadian Press Cable via Reuters
Wellington, N.Z., Feb. 11.—The government of New Zealand, a Labor ministry, moved today to implement its "guaranteed prices" policy with a plan for stabilization in the wheat, flour and bread industries.

Entitled the "Sullivan plan," named after Hon. D. G. Sullivan, Minister of Industries, Commerce and Railways, it is designed to give the farmer an increased price for his wheat, to end a protracted price-cutting war by millers and bakers, to safeguard the consumer and to increase wages.

Under the scheme, the farmer will receive an average of 52½ pence (13.6¢) a bushel for his wheat. This will enable delivery of flour to bakeries at a price of £13 8s 7d a ton (approximately \$67), the government claims, and the sale of a four-pound loaf of bread over the counter in the main centres at 10 pence (20 cents).

The Sullivan plan involves an embargo on the importation of flour. It is expected to result in increased wheat production. Last year 750,000 bushels were imported in the form of flour and seed wheat.

IMMIGRATION VIEWS DIFFER

Sydney Papers Discuss Suggestion Australia Open Doors

Canadian Press
Sydney, New South Wales, Feb. 11.—The recent suggestion that Australia should reopen her ports to British immigrants with a view to increasing both industry and labor ranks has met with mixed reception in the press. It was said, too, at the time, there should be more industries established to provide employment for the additional immigrants.

The Sydney Star says the idea is worth consideration, and should be taken up with British authorities, and adds the Australia can no longer afford a dog-in-the-manger policy.

The Sydney Age points out it is unlikely any British manufacturers would establish factories to supply the markets in which they are already privileged by the Ottawa trade agreements. It suggests higher protection would more likely attract those industries.

MISSION WORKER PASSES AWAY

Canadian Press
Montreal, Feb. 11.—Rev. Father Camille Lefebvre, who for almost a half century served in the mission fields of the Northwest Territories, died here yesterday in his seventy-fourth year. He had been in ill health for about a month and had come east for a rest. He suffered a heart seizure Sunday.

Born in Montreal in 1863, he was educated at Collège Bourget at Rigaud and entered the Oblate Order in 1883. Six years later he was ordained and was sent to the mission fields of the Mackenzie River area, and for a time served at Dawson in the Yukon.

In 1907 he was appointed bursar of the missions in that district and remained in that office until his death.

QUEEN VISITS ROYAL MANSION

Canadian Press from Havas
London, Feb. 11.—Queen Mary yesterday paid a long visit to Marlborough House, birthplace of her husband, George V. This was linked with reports she will shortly make it her London residence.

Marlborough House was erected in 1711. Edward VII occupied it as Prince of Wales, and it was during this period that George V was born.

SANCTIONS FACTS FOR COMMONS

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—A white paper will be presented to the House of Commons containing the essential documents "with respect to sanctions and with respect to the questions that have come before the government with regard to the Italo-Ethiopian war," Premier King told the House today.

Hon. C. H. Cahan, Conservative St. Lawrence-St. George, had asked the Prime Minister to table orders-in-council relating to the sanctions against Italy as well as departmental instructions in regard to them. Mr. King said that if the white paper did not provide all the information Mr. Cahan asked for, he would consider what further could be done to meet the requests.

SOCIAL CREDIT BILL DRAFTED

Alberta Provincial Secretary Says Cabinet Asks Legislature For Powers

Canadian Press
Edmonton, Feb. 11.—Repeal of a statement which he was reported to have made at the Calgary Prophecy Bible Institute Sunday—that no legislation to institute social credit principles would be brought down at the current session of the Legislature of Alberta—was issued here yesterday afternoon by Hon. E. C. Manning, Provincial Secretary.

"As a matter of fact I made absolutely no reference in that speech to Social Credit legislation by name," he said. "I did have it in mind, however, when I said the government would be concerned this session only with sound progressive legislation. The Social Credit bill will come under that head."

A bill to enable the cabinet to establish Social Credit regulations on proclamation, without reference to the Legislature, would be presented at the present session, he affirmed. He would not state the terms of the proposed bill.

Advocates Lower Rail Grain Rates

Canadian Press
Ottawa, Feb. 11.—A lower freight rate on grain and grain products moving from the prairie provinces to British Columbia is the object of a bill introduced in the House of Commons by Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster. The bill is a perennial one, as Mr. Reid unsuccessfully presented it at previous sessions. It would provide that rates on grain and grain products for use in British Columbia be the same as the export rate on shipments from prairie points to British Columbia.

CHURCH FUND NEARS OBJECTIVE

Calgary, Feb. 11.—The restoration fund of the Church of England in Canada is but \$28,000 from its objective of \$771,000, according to an announcement here by Rev. Canon S. Gould of Winnipeg. A total of \$743,000 has been subscribed—mainly donations from middle class men and their families—said Canon Gould. Indians of the Yukon district alone had contributed \$500.

The church's endowment fund of \$771,000 was lost through maladministration, he said, in Winnipeg three years ago.

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CHILDREN AND HEALTH

SOME STARTLING FIGURES RELATIVE to the health conditions of the children of British Columbia were given by Dr. Cyril Wace at the annual meeting of the Queen Alexandra Solarium yesterday afternoon. Out of a total of 97,603 who were examined by medical officers in the schools during the year 1933-34, more than 75,400 were reported to be defective to such a degree as to be included in the medical report, and of these nearly 8,400 were suffering from malnutrition. The reports for the pupils in the Normal and High schools were scarcely more favorable, the percentage of physical defects being over fifty in the one case and nearly that much in the other. Of 21,217 children examined in the rural and assisted schools the percentage of defects was 111.29, which means that some of the youngsters had more than one defect each.

These conditions, Dr. Wace pointed out, were especially pertinent to the first ideal of the founders of the Solarium which was "the prevention of illness in delicate children," and he saw in them ample justification for the widest support for the institution. He also urged that any Health Insurance program for the province be based as far as possible upon the necessity of preventing or remedying physical defects among the children and adolescents.

The loss to the country through failure to prevent or remedy the physical disabilities of its young people is beyond calculation. In money terms it eventually runs into many millions. But that is not the worst aspect of it. These defects impair the potential quality of citizenship, handicapping energy, ability and industry, and for that handicap the province must pay. The work of the Queen Alexandra Solarium and the Crippled Children's Hospital in Vancouver, therefore, is of inestimable value to British Columbia, but these two institutions have merely scratched the surface of the problem. Their sphere of usefulness should be appreciably enlarged, and this requires a wider measure of support from the public. The Solarium last year had an operating deficit of some \$6,000 which must be made good, but that is a minor consideration in proportion to the beneficent results achieved in that period. The transformation of helpless little children into physically capable potential citizens of tomorrow is worth many times the money expended upon this splendid institution.

Whatever society may owe, in an economic sense, to those who constitute it, it can not escape its obligation to those who are afflicted with physical disabilities, particularly crippled or otherwise defective children who can not help themselves. On this point it is unnecessary to say more than was said by Mr. Langen, president of the Solarium, in the annual report of the directors: "It is obviously the responsibility of our own citizenship to see that no child lacks proper nourishment, that no little one lacks proper care, that none is deprived of that natural heritage of childhood, health and happiness. To this objective we again enlist your support. This institution can only exist and extend its efforts, its efficiency, its facilities, through the co-operation and financial support of those who feel the full responsibility of Christian citizenship, their responsibility to the crippled and helpless little ones, and their response to the age-old appeal of the Great Healer, the friend of little children."

JAPAN'S FUTURE

EVEN IF THE JAPANESE MILITARY party achieves all its desires, Japan's fundamental economic and social needs will still be unsatisfied, and the Japanese Government will be compelled sooner or later to moderate its exclusive claim to dominate eastern Asia, asserts Sir Frederick Whyte, well-known British authority on the Far East, and formerly advisor to the Nanking Government, in the March Pacific Affairs, quarterly journal of the Institute of Pacific Relations.

Claiming that direct action by Western Powers can be of little use in dealing with the immediate crisis in north China, the writer holds that "the Far Eastern problem" will continue unsolved, unless a new long-range policy can be devised to promote the economic interests of others, besides Japan and China, possessing a stake in the Far East.

"Although Sir Frederick Leith Ross's prime object, during the winter of 1935-36, has been to investigate Chinese conditions in currency and finance," says Sir Frederick Whyte, "I shall be much surprised if his report does not contain a shrewd estimate of Japanese conditions and of the contribution which the Japanese hope that foreign credit and economic agreements can make to the solution of Japanese problems."

"Even if his report is not published, it will put the British Treasury and Foreign Office in possession of facts and judgments of the utmost importance. Japan's final choice is economic; it requires access to foreign markets and foreign credit. The nature of its crisis links Japan to the world more closely than its military leaders have ever realized, and it will be in Japan's economic relations with the rest of the world, and not with China, Manchuria and Mongolia alone, that its problem will be solved."

As a preliminary to a "new economic policy" for the Far East, the writer calls for a thorough-going survey of Japanese requirements in raw materials, of the nature and destination of Japanese exports, of the character of the obstacles now encountered by Japanese goods in foreign markets and of the total effect of Japanese trade expansion on the interchange of goods and services throughout the world.

"What is needed perhaps more than anything," Sir Frederick adds, "is a careful study of the probable demands which Japan will be compelled to make on foreign capital, and the consequent basis of a genuine give-and-take bargain in which other powers, in their capacity as creditors and controllers of raw material

and markets, may make with Japan. In a word, America and Great Britain are faced with Pacific questions which demand a complete rethinking and a positive new policy."

BUYING AND SELLING

THERE ARE SOME FIGURES ABOUT Canada's trade the public should consider. For example, six years ago the Dominion's trade with the outside world was worth a little more than \$2,640,000,000. In 1935 it was worth approximately \$1,273,000,000—less than half of what it was in 1930.

Canada's trade with the United States, moreover, demands consideration for the reason that this country of a little more than eleven millions of people is living alongside a nation of approximately 130,000,000. Six years ago, Canada's buying and selling with the United States represented a turnover of \$1,368,000,000, or about \$395,000,000 less than our external trade for 1935.

In 1933, incidentally, Canada's business with the United States dropped to \$375,000,000. Both countries were guilty of erecting tariff barriers which, of course, clogged the flow of trade and commerce. The fact that business between the two of them has increased is a tribute to better economic judgment.

This Dominion is all-out for more selling, recognizing, at the same time, that to sell carries with it the necessity of buying proportionately.

MOTION PICTURE LOSS

LAST SATURDAY AT ELSTREE, HERT-fordshire, England, a thriving movie manufacturing community was thrown into grief by the burning of three film studios. The loss was accounted at \$2,250,000.

The blaze, which started in the studios of the British and Dominion Film Corporation, Limited, and spread to two nearby studios of the British International Picture Company, was reported by a watchman. Actors and studio workers had left the buildings. No casualties were reported.

The British and Dominion Studio estimated their losses at \$1,500,000 and the British International Company estimated theirs at \$750,000. Three stages, three reception rooms, forty dressing rooms and twenty-four offices were destroyed in the Dominion Studio; and two studios and thirty-six dressing rooms were burned at the British International.

There are many motion picture producers and actors who will read of this disaster with regret. Incidentally, it reminds us of the growth of the industry in the Old Country in recent years. Not long ago when it was suggested that picture production be started there on an ambitious scale the suggestion was scoffed at in London. The fact that more than \$3,000,000 were involved in the establishments which have been destroyed, and the admirable pictures which have been produced in them, tell a convincing story of progress in the industry in Great Britain.

HARBINGER OF PEACE

WAR CLOUDS MAY BE CASTING dark shadows across the European landscape, these days, but it begins to look as if the British War Office is counting on continued peace.

At any rate, smart new "off duty" uniforms have just been designed for the British Tommy. Hereafter, when he departs from the barracks and goes on leave, Tommy will be garbed, not in the familiar drab khaki, but in resplendent regimentals of dark blue, with gorgeous brass buttons and a blue cap bearing a shining badge.

And the point of all this is that the fineness of a soldier's leathers seems to vary in inverse ratio to the nearness of actual war.

In wartime, the soldier's outfit is all for business. It is only when peace is in full flower that his uniform grows impressive.

By that standard, the British authorities must be figuring on a considerable extension of the present era of peace.

One of the strongest arguments in favor of the trade reciprocity agreement between Canada and the United States may be found in Mr. Bennett's violent opposition to it. He dilly-dallied with the idea for two years, while the agreement was completed by his successor in a few weeks. His present opposition to the agreement should finally clinch the public approval of it.

A famous Austrian psychologist thinks the Dionne quintuplets should soon be permitted to live normal lives, and he suggests that as little fuss as possible should be made over them. There is a good deal of sense in his suggestions. Treating young children like hot-house plants is the best way to spoil them. The Dionne quintuplets are rare enough, but they are children, not exotic plants, and should be regarded as children.

What Other Papers Say

GET OUT AND STAY OUT
The Saint John Telegraph Journal

The people of Canada generally, as well as the western farmers, will be glad to see this consummation (the profitable sale of Canada's wheat crop) reached. The growers will benefit by the enhanced prices, while from the shoulders of the taxpayer will be lifted the responsibility of paying for the wheat board's losses. It is to be hoped that, once the government disposes of its holdings, it will get out of the wheat business for good, and allow the law of supply and demand to operate instead of hindering it.

A FACTOR IN IMMIGRATION
The Winnipeg Free Press

The successful establishment of new settlers on the land would be conditional upon their ability to find a market for their products. That depends upon international trade. And it is an essentially important thing for the countries now reeling the pressure of population to remember. The more self-contained they try to make themselves, the more difficult they make it for their surplus populations to become established in the undeveloped parts of Canada or any other new country. If they cling to policies of extreme nationalism and persist in producing, say, their own wheat at a cost much higher than that at which it can be produced in these new countries, they are clearly making it harder for the latter to accommodate new settlers.

Loose Ends

The Scots rally around—Mr. Morgan fears for civilization—the critics' fear for Hamlet's sanity—the managers fear for the candidates—and the motorists fear for the pedestrians.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

SCOTS AGAIN

IT IS ONLY when you get into grave trouble and your friends start to rally around that you realize how lucky you have. Last week a lady who felt that she had to perform a divine mission from on high, wrote to the editor of this paper to tell the public what I was, to reveal the whole horrible truth, because I had said something about haggis. Feeling that I had suffered a grave calamity, from which recovery was doubtful, people have been most kind to me, as they would be to a dying man or a helpless idiot. They have telephoned me and written me. They have even sent articles to prove that Robert Burns (a Scotch poet) was really a Communist. They have stopped me on the street and assured me I am still struggling along with the report that I am a low beast.

You would think, by the warmth of their sympathy, that I had been lynched, but I must say this report is exaggerated. No violence has been offered me. No night riders in kilts have come out this way. No haggis has been sent through the mails to edify me. I am still struggling along in spite of everything, cheered by the thought that I am the subject of divine missions and revelations from on high, and by the discovery that Scottish people who write to the newspapers, contrary to the old libel on the race, have a fine sense of humor.

As a matter of fact, most of the people who come to my aid as if I were in grave danger, are Scottish people. A few minutes ago a man with a fine old burr and a haggis in his voice, rang up here (and spent five cents so do it, thus buying another libel against the race) and said the real Scots were behind me to a man. He said he was a real Scot, which no one could doubt, and had been born in Scotland and practically raised on porridge and haggis. He said the real Scots had a serious air of the ridiculous, which is obvious, since they have been running the English and most other races for hundreds of years. Do not pay any attention, said he, to the synthetic professional Scots who had never been nearer to Scotland than this great Dominion and suffered from a serious inferiority complex on that account. Do not back down, said he. Do not apologize or make excuses. Stick to your guns like a Scot.

I told him I would stick, whatever the consequences, though letters to the editor descended like a Victorian blizzard. So moved was this Scot, that he has written a poem for me which I attach herewith, just to show you how we real Scots understand one another:

"Fair 'is' your honest, honest face!"
"You've well nigh brought us to dis-
grace!"
"Scots in Victoria—like place!"
"All of 'em!"
"Listen!" says the "Wendland race!"
"Ah me—war's me!"

Haggis royal! Pride of Burns' days,
I'll dress ye up in sheepskin clads,
And fill ye with a serious air,
Then a dram, and whisky and brass!"

To make ye right,
Ah! Column Column, sordid heart,
Thy true of haggis you are part—
Clear thinking, clear as winter stars,
To such a controversy start,
That shakes all 'twixt the Scottish smart
To call the fight.

When wit is dull and mind astray,
And laughter forth that wins the day,
Ay, shake your head;
And when the heart is full of woe,
The soul's sick's deed.

LEISURE CLASS

MR. J. P. MORGAN, who helped the United States to contract its foreign debt, has added another ripe thought to the cultural heritage of his country. He has told a committee of the United States Senate that "if you destroy the leisure class, you destroy civilization."

That would seem to depend on what you mean by civilization. Mr. Morgan undoubtedly means the present system of life in America, but many people would question whether

SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"We can't possibly stay another week. I've already worn everything I have at least twice."

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that was civilization or merely comfort. It is neither for a large part of the population. But it is satisfactory to the leisure class and people who are thus placed are liable to imagine that everything is civilized and perfectly all right. They are liable also to imagine that their comfort is essential to the welfare of everybody else, a notion which every leisure class has had since the powerful nobility of early Egypt.

In all former civilizations the leisure class has gradually degenerated from its early usefulness and become a burden on society until finally the burden has been too heavy to carry, as in Rome, and in the feudal civilizations of England and France, and the whole system has broken down. Then it had to be built again from the bottom. Whereupon a leisure class developed all over again.

Up to now the leisure class of America, however, hasn't been a leisure class at all. The Morgans have been the busiest men in the country. They have erected the present remarkable financial structure, a mighty masterpiece. Possibly if they had been more leisurely and hadn't worked so hard it would have been better. Their trouble was that they refused to be a leisure class. Their sons and grandsons, the playboy generation of today are the real leisure class and what an ornament they are to the system.

Yet, under the arrangements perfected through the years by the elder Morgans, they are now more essential to our civilization than their fathers. They spend their money on consumer goods that they don't need and thus spread the wealth; whereas their fathers spent their money building new factories and increasing the surplus.

Thus you find that Mr. Morgan is right—under the existing arrangements, if you destroy the leisure class, you destroy existing civilization; not because you destroy the nation's culture, but because you destroy its purchasing power. Since we are unwilling to give adequate purchasing power to the other classes in this classless society, we must maintain the leisure class, which spends wealth without earning it. Otherwise the other classes couldn't sell their goods at all. Well, we will maintain it, and the leisure class will go on thinking it is maintaining us and everybody but a few wild radicals will be satisfied.

EXOTIC GROWTHS

ONE OF THE really interesting phenomena unique to our times is the germination, growth and decay of a presidential candidate. They are germinating on all sides in the United States now, springing up months in advance of the spring and the great party conventions under the warmth of heated air, which is blowing now out of the great furnace of politics.

Observe how the growth germinates, grows and matures. Somewhere in the backwoods, unknown outside his own state, a man has been governor, like this man Landon, of Kansas, and made a reasonable job of it. The Republican managers hear of him and, in desperate need of a candidate, wonder if he could be built up. The building up gets under way, expertly. Months in advance of the spring and the great party conventions under the warmth of heated air, which is blowing now out of the great furnace of politics.

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Pride Liver, Blood Sausage, lb. 20c; Wieners, lb. 22c

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Livers, Beef, lb. 15c; Calf, lb. 35c; Lamb, lb. 17c

Centre Shanks, lb. 10c; Plate Beef, lb. 10c

Pickled Ox Tongues, lb. 17c; Veal Cutlets, lb. 25c

Other People's Views

HAD HIS TEETH FROZEN

To the Editor:—When going to and from country school in Ontario we often had our cheeks, nose and ears frozen.

The white spot would soon be pointed out to us and an application of snow would take the frost out in a minute or two.

Apparently I had a worse experience during the last cold snap in Victoria in having my teeth frozen, both upper and lower.

I did not suffer any pain or inconvenience. I have formed a habit of placing them in a cup of water every night on the window sill, so consequently on morning both plates were frozen solid.

J. O. STINSON,
2002 Lorne Terrace, Oak Bay.

CITY FUND SHORTAGES

To the Editor:—May I be permitted the courtesy of your columns to draw attention to a matter of urgent importance to the ratepayers of this city. I refer to the shortages which are alleged to have been discovered in the city's funds.

In view of the few facts which have already leaked out, but more especially in regard to what has not been made public, it must be patent to everyone that there is something very aliphoid—to say the least—in the financial department of the city's administration.

It is incredible that shortages have been occurring over a period of three years—according to press reports—without being discovered by even the most superficial system of auditing. The policy of secret meetings in camera, which is pursued by a section of the council, is not calculated to ally the misgivings in the public mind.

In the public interest, and to dispel all doubts, there should be a searching investigation of the finance department of the city council by an independent commission along the lines of one held recently in Vancouver.

It is essential that the fullest publicity be given this matter, if we are to restore and retain that public con-

fidence upon which our democratic institutions are founded.

TAXPAYER.

DRAMA FESTIVAL

To the Editor:—Various letters have appeared in both the local newspapers containing some trenchant criticism of what one of the correspondents refers to as "the Little Theatre annual performance." All of these correspondents are obviously criticizing the sub-regional contest held in Victoria recently in connection with the Dominion Drama Festival. This was not a Little Theatre Association presentation at all, the latter organization being merely one of the contestants, and it is mainly for the purpose of correcting the erroneous impression that must have been created in the regard by the correspondence referred to that I now write you.

Most of the criticism was directed to the length of the evening's entertainment, the somewhat long intervals between the various plays being especially condemned. In regard to the Dominion Drama Festival, I should like to point out to its critics that when several plays are being presented by various organizations in competition before an adjudicator an audience cannot, in the very nature of things, expect to have one play follow the other with the speed and smoothness of the old-time vaudeville acts. It is not a simple question of dropping a curtain and setting up one act while another turn takes place before the curtain, each play presented requires its own special "set," and properties and as these have to conform to certain rigid rules governing Dominion Drama Festival presentations waits between plays are unavoidable, and it is impossible to prepare for each play with the same speed with which, for instance, the various sets of a three-act play could be erected. Again each play is produced by a separate director, which tends to slow up the technical side of the presentations.

There is, of course, no denying the fact that it was a very long evening—much too long—but this was the first time in which these contests have taken place in one evening, and it is possible that in future patrons of the Drama Festival contests will have to be prepared to be at the theatre at 7:30 p.m. By starting earlier and by cutting down the intervals to the absolute minimum the

inconvenience and annoyance that some of the audience undoubtedly suffered by having to leave before the adjudication can be avoided in future.

As regards the complaint made by one of the correspondents and echoed by another, that there was only one locally written play presented, should like to point out, since these correspondents refer to the presentations as a performance of the Little Theatre Association, that this association did sponsor the only play by a local playwright presented during the contest.

To sum up the foregoing, whatever complaints any of the patrons of the recent Dominion Drama Festival contest have concerning the presentations it should be understood that it is incorrect and unfair to direct them to Victoria Little Theatre Association whose part was merely that of one of the contestants. This association is, however, quite ready to bear its share of any blame that may attach in the matter of the somewhat long intervals, and I feel sure that the Dominion Drama Festival committee will have the whole-hearted co-operation of all contestants in endeavoring to remedy in future productions the weaknesses that showed up during the first attempt to have all plays presented for competition produced in one evening instead of several evenings.

M. E. HETHERINGTON,
President Victoria Little Theatre Association.
Victoria, February 10.

RUSSIA

To the Editor:—I have said the U.S.S.R. believes and practices the social ownership and control of the means of production. Mr. Luff wants your readers to believe, say, use of such a statement proves my ignorance of economics and of socialism. I am not concerned with economics as a scientific subject, academically, that is, but I am greatly concerned with economics as a means to a life that may be lived well.

To judge one's understanding of socialism by my above statement is (Turn to Page 16, Col. 8.)

Joseph Rose

Optometrist

1015 Government St. Phone 5-0121

TECHNICALITY IS OVERCOME

City Council Amends Procedure Dealing With New Appointments

A technical oversight in procedure governing the making of appointments and promotions was overcome by the City Council yesterday evening. The technicality was discovered in the recent reorganization of the City Hall staff.

The change now makes it possible for the council to make an appointment or promotion without the approval of the head of any department affected by the move. Previously the council did not hold supreme power in the matter, inasmuch as a departmental head could nullify an appointment by refusing to sign the recommendation.

The point arose in the appointment of T. G. Harris as road and poll tax collector. This move was approved by the finance committee and city controller, but was not signed by the city assessor and collector, George Okell.

Mr. Okell exercised his prerogative and declined to sign the recommendation, as he felt his staff could not stand the loss of Mr. Harris, who was trained in special work of Mr. Okell's department.

This deadlocked the appointment and created a situation whereby the departmental head held the final word.

The amendment, however, provides an appointment may now be made without this approval.

CITY'S MOVIE OUTLOOK TOLD

Quota Pictures Must Be Made, and Victoria Logical Place, Producer Tells Gyros

The possibilities of Victoria as a movie centre were told members of the Gyro Club at their luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday by Kenneth J. Bishop, president of Central Films Ltd., producing pictures at the Willows under the British quota system for Columbia Pictures Inc.

"There are six major companies in the United States, and they must necessarily make quota pictures. Victoria is the closest British point to Hollywood, and the most convenient," Mr. Bishop said.

As an illustration of the accessibility of Victoria from Hollywood, Mr. Bishop told the Gyros how camera parts had been shipped up when the company's only sound-proof camera was broken during the filming of "Stop, Look and Love." He had wired at 11 a.m. one day, and the parts had arrived by plane at 1.30 p.m. the next day.

"Victoria is much better than England for that," he added, explaining that some of the other companies were buying their quota pictures in England.

BRITISH QUOTA LAWS

Mr. Bishop explained the British quota regulations, enforced under the Cinematograph Act of 1927, and since tightened so that one film in five imported and shown by an United States company must be made on British soil.

He added that since Britain represented 60 per cent of the foreign market for United States pictures, it was essential that the companies ship their productions there, and that therefore they could not avoid buying quota productions.

His own company, he said, was now making its third picture for Columbia. The Willows studio was equivalent to that of any independent producer in Hollywood, he said.

He referred to the invaluable moral support which his company had received here, from the publicity bureau, the press and local merchants.

ANSWERS QUESTIONS

Mr. Bishop answered questions of club members at length. Among points brought out in this connection were the following:

That the major companies would never attempt to obtain a cent of capital in Canada for the making of quota pictures.

That Central Films will have spent approximately \$135,000 when the present picture is finished.

That finding scenery for a western picture is difficult here, the company having to move continually from one location to another, instead of simply hiring a movie ranch as is done in Hollywood.

That although rental costs are lower here, with the added transportation expenses the cost of making pictures in Victoria and in Hollywood is roughly equal.

That it is impossible to tell what success a picture will have until it is cut. He said that "Stop, Look and Love," the first movie made by Central Films here, gave indications of being far more of a success than the company had ever expected.

That "Stop, Look and Love," ought to arrive in Victoria from two to four weeks, the first print having already been dispatched to England.

That the customs had aided the importation of equipment by the issue of a special monthly permit to the company. However, Mr. Bishop considered the imposition of any duty at all to be unfair, since no material for movie making was manufactured in Canada.

That the cost of a developing laboratory, fully equipped, with automatic machinery, is from \$150,000 to \$200,000.

Mr. Bishop invited club members

BUILDING SNOW MEN WAS GREAT FUN



The snow was just right for building snowmen and snow forts Saturday and Sunday and hundreds of them were seen in different parts of the city. Old hats and the inevitable pipe without which no snowman is complete provided the finishing touch. The Times cameraman snapped this picture of Mr. Snowman with its smiling builders. Sitting in front of him on the sleigh is Miss Dorothy Wills; standing are Miss Ellen Wills and Kenneth Wills of 1231 Fairfield Road.

to visit the Willows studios, and many this afternoon took advantage of his offer. Mr. Bishop was introduced to the club by Angus McIntyre, vice-president, and thanked by the president, Waldo Skillings.

Want Mill Put Into Operation

City Council to Seek Arrangement For Running of C.P.S. Plant

The lands committee of the City Council will immediately approach the Minister of Lands in the provincial government in an effort to reach a joint agreement to permit the operation of the C.P.S. lumber mill for the manufacture of 150,000 feet of cut timber owned by the Esquimalt Lumber Company.

At the council meeting yesterday evening the company sought permission from the council to manufacture this timber, which has been lying at the plant docks for some time.

The government, however, has \$19,000 in royalties due from the mill and the city solicitor recommended no action should be taken without consultation with the government authorities.

The company also seeks permission to operate this section of the plant for a short while to meet unfilled orders.

Mayor Leeming suggested the Minister of Lands be approached to make some arrangement on the request and the lands committee was named to act with the solicitor. The committee was given power to act if a joint agreement is approved.

Veteran Club Activities

The local branch of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E. S.L., will propose a resolution at the Dominion Convention of the Canadian Legion to be held in Vancouver on March 23, 24 and 25, relative to men who were prisoners of war, being given preferential treatment in the matter of evidence for pension purposes.

The monthly concert of the Britannia Branch of the Canadian Legion, will take the form of a Valentine Day concert to be held in the clubrooms, View Street, next Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Members and friends are invited to attend.

The general monthly meeting of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the clubrooms, 625 Courtney Street. The election of committees to work on the standing committees will take place.

The Army and Navy Veterans Club, local unit No. 12, will hold its weekly old-time dance tomorrow evening on the floating ballroom floor, in their headquarters, corner of Wharf and Beroughton Streets. Scale's orchestra will supply the music. All are invited to attend.

The calling of applications for the position of junior clerk at the City Hall was authorized by the City Council yesterday evening on recommendation of the finance committee. The vacancy created in the road and poll tax collecting department was filled by promotion, leaving the staff short a junior member.

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INSURANCE IN CITY LACKING

Not Half of City Property Covered in Event of Loss By Fire, Council Told

A fire in the city jail or a number of other civic buildings during the last few years would have meant a serious loss to the city without any portion being recoverable from insurance. It was revealed at the council meeting yesterday evening.

The council's attention was drawn to the fact that only 28 per cent of city property, valued at \$1,044,000, was insured.

On recommendation of the finance committee, the council authorized the calling of tenders to cover the property up to 50 per cent.

This situation was discovered during a recent inventory of city property by a local insurance firm, which commenced late last year and has only just been completed.

Alderman P. R. Brown explained arrangements had been made for temporary coverage pending the receiving of tenders.

The tenders will be dealt with by a committee of Aldermen T. M. Hawkins and Dr. J. D. Hunter, and the city controller.

STORIES IN STAMPS

By I. S. Klein
SINGING PARSON
NEW ZEALAND



A remarkable songbird called the Tui awakens residents of New Zealand with one of the most varied and pleasant repertoires of music ever heard among the world's birds. Hundreds of little songs, scores of bell chimings and almost parrot-like ability to mimic man's speech make the Tui the most popular bird in the South Seas. It has a range of over four octaves and sings in harmony with the bell bird.

Because of two tufts of white feathers at its throat and a collar of white feathers on the back of its neck, the Tui has been called the "Parson bird." It is between twelve and fifteen inches long and its body is in two shades of brown. Its iridescent wing and neck feathers, gleaming green and blue in the sunlight, make this a particularly beautiful bird.

The Maoris used to keep the Tui as a house pet, for the pleasure of hearing not only its variety of song, but the many phrases it could learn from them. The bird now is illustrated on the one-shilling value of New Zealand's new pictorial issue.

Calling of tenders for the construction of steps to the beach at Pinelands Point, near Horseshoe Bay, was authorized by the City Council yesterday evening on recommendation of the parks committee. The work is estimated to cost \$110.

The City Council yesterday evening authorized the sale of two Trans heaters from the woolen mills, valued at \$75 each, to the Processed Fuels Ltd. The sale was made on recommendation of the business and trade development committee, which stipulated they should be recalled within sixty days if the need arose.

FIRST VISIT TO EAST SINCE 1891

Captain J. M. Martin, of Whitehorse, Yukon, Back From Trip to East

Back from his first trip to the east since 1891, Captain J. M. Martin of Whitehorse, Yukon, who came to Victoria from the north at the beginning of December, today said that he had found the people of Ontario optimistic, but that he considered it would take the present administration another year "to clean up the mess left by the Bennett Government."

Captain Martin went to Niagara Falls, Ont., where his son is a lawyer. He was there before the serious cold weather, and did not see the falls frozen. He ran into a certain amount of cold on the way back, but he was in Victoria at the end of last week when the season's real cold wave struck Canada.

He found last Friday's temperature just as unpleasant as anything he had ever known in the Yukon, partly because he did not wear the heavy clothing here, which was natural to the northern winter, and partly because of the humidity of the air.

Captain Martin was this morning reminiscing of the Victoria of forty years ago, when the block between Yates and Johnson Streets, west of Government, was the centre of the city's activity. He said that the downfall of this district was one of the most unpleasant changes in Victoria.

On his way back from Ontario Captain Martin stopped in Vancouver, where he met old friends who had been in the sealing business when it was the principal industry of British Columbia. He thinks it unfair that the government should have sold the rights of the sealers to the United States without passing on any of the money so obtained to the men who had developed the industry.

Captain Martin will return to Whitehorse shortly. He has been staying at the Dominion Hotel.

"Y" HOBBY FAIR BEGINS FRIDAY

With the Y hobby fair less than a week away, the committee are making arrangements to make it the biggest yet.

A feature of the exhibition this year will be the model railway demonstration. In addition to local entries in this division B. J. G. builder from Seattle will bring his work over for exhibition at the fair. Fine scale models of the latest in streamlined railway construction will be among his exhibits.

Harvey Lowe, local Chinese yoyo champion will feature the entertainment with demonstrations off and on during the two days of the fair which will be held in the Y.M.C.A.

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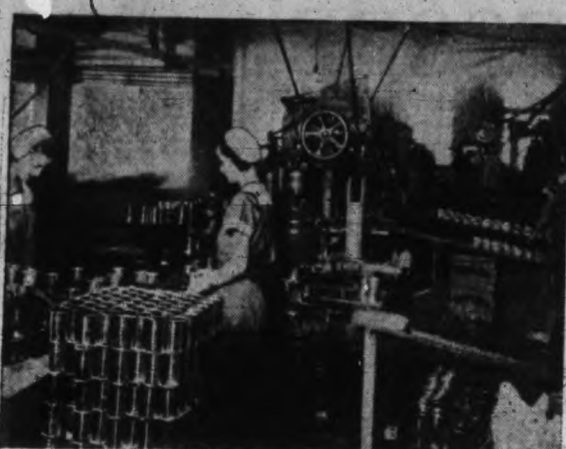
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At the recent meeting of the Saanich Welfare Association held on Thursday at the headquarters, corner Tillamook Road and Madock Street, the first vice-president, Miss Oldfield, took the chair, owing to the absence through indisposition of Mrs. T. Todd, the president.

The members stood in silent tribute to the late King.

Mrs. Dealey's report showed 219 families helped, representing 769 persons; there were fourteen new cases in January.

Donations for the month were received from: Miss Oldfield, Elk Lake Sewing Circle, Mrs. Conley's Sewing Circle, Anon, Gladstone Avenue, Mrs. Youll, Mrs. V. Dawkins, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Gibbs, Mrs. R. O. L. Rodd, Mrs. E. Wilkinson, General Warehouse Limited, Hudson's Bay Company, Friend, Burnside Road, Anon, Mrs. Butterfield, Mrs. MacGregor, Anon, Miss Patsy Hutchinson, Mrs. Todd, Mrs. William Tomes, Mrs. William Dealey, Mr. C. and J. Martin, James Island, Mrs. Landers, Mrs. Turton, Mrs. Trueman, Women's Work Room, Mrs. J. C. Newbury, St. Luke's W.A., Mrs. W. H. Carr, Red Cross Auxiliary, Mrs. Pierce, Anon, Mrs. R. J. Atkinson, J. M. Hatt, Reeve and Councilors and Municipal Truck, Mrs. Salisbury, Gordon Head, blankets and dresses; Mrs. McMillen, Gordon, one parcel of cloths; Mrs. Bates, one parcel of clothing; Mrs. McAnulty's Sewing Circle at Ten Mile Point, two large comforters, two small comforters, two baby blankets, one boy's knitted suit, five new dresses, five new skirts, one flannel, bloomers, six new sweaters, five flannel nightgowns, two cloth-bloomers, one pair good shoes and three bundles used clothing.

VALENTINE SALE AT BURNSIDE

The Burnside School will hold a Valentine sale of work tomorrow afternoon from 2 o'clock; the proceeds to be devoted to the school funds.

Under the convener'ship of Mrs. J. W. Daniel, many attractive stalls are being arranged. There will be home cooking, candy, miscellaneous, aprons and plain sewing, with a fishpond and game for the youngsters. Afternoon tea will be served.

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CHILDREN'S AID LUNCHEON SET

Hon. George M. Weir to Speak at Annual Meeting and Election of Directors

The annual general meeting of the Children's Aid Society will be held in Spencer's dining-room, Friday, February 14, commencing at 12:15 o'clock.

Sydney Child, hon. secretary has asked members and others to telephone the superintendent at the Children's Aid Society, so that proper seating arrangements can be made.

In addition to the usual routine of annual meetings, eight directors will be appointed to fill the places of those whose term of office has expired. Nominations, in writing, completed by the proposer and seconded by the proposer and seconded—must be in the hands of the secretary before the meeting is called to order.

Dr. George M. Weir, Provincial Secretary, will be the guest speaker.

Lodge's Annual Banquet Enjoyed

Princess Alexandra Lodge Daughters of England held its forty-fifth annual banquet in Spencer's dining-room, with Mrs. Allen, worthy president, as hostess. The tables looked very pretty with red and white flowers, the colors of the society.

Guests of the evening were Mrs. E. Baron, worthy district deputy, and Mrs. Chapple, worthy president of Princess Lodge.

Toasts and responses were made by Mrs. Baron, P.D.D.; Mrs. E. Baron, P.D.D.; Mrs. C. Smith and Mrs. G. Cavett. After the banquet the members adjourned to the S.O.E. Hall, where they and their friends enjoyed dancing to the strains of Miss E. Holt's Orchestra. During the evening much amusement was caused by the statue dance, the winners being Mr. Smith and Miss Whittington. The spotlight dance was won by Mr. Underwood and Miss Goldie. Miss Diana Cavett drew the tombola tickets, the lucky ones being Mrs. A. Bell and Mrs. S. Smith. The convener was Mrs. J. Tyrrell.

On Tuesday, February 18, a drill practice is called for 2:15 in the S.O.E. Hall, and a card party is to be held February 21 at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. G. Cavett. The next meeting will be held in the S.O.E. Hall February 20.

CHINESE A.Y.P.A.

The president, Miss Sue Lee, presided at the meeting of the Chinese A.Y.P.A. held on Friday evening at the Mission Hall, 608 1/2 Cormorant Street. The meeting was opened with prayers by Rev. C. Lee and a Scripture reading by Miss Edna Lowe. Dick Joe gave an address on "The Problem of Our Minds," and Samuel Lee spoke on "Duties of the A.Y.P.A."

Among correspondence read was a letter from the Chinese United Y.P.S. inviting the members to their Valentine social to be held at their church on February 14. Further arrangements were discussed for the first anniversary gathering and two Chinese lanterns were presented by six members of the branch for that occasion. Those A.Y.P.A. branches who have not yet replied as to the number of their members coming are asked to do so this week. A special meeting will take place on Thursday evening at the home of Maurice Chan, 1407 Government Street.

Social And Club Interests

TO BE HOSTESS REQUIRES ART

Mrs. D. M. Duncan Gives Third of "Charm Course" Lectures at "Y"

The art of being a hostess is not something to put on as a cloak, but a graciousness which goes down to the core of one's being, according to Mrs. D. M. Duncan, headmistress of St. Margaret's School, who was the speaker at yesterday's lecture in the charm course sponsored by the Business Girls' Club of the Y.W.C.A.

Again the large clubroom was filled with an interested audience, for the third of the series of Monday lectures, lasting six weeks.

The art of being a hostess must be kept up in practice or else it gets rusty, Mrs. Duncan pointed out. Such an art can be learned, she maintained, giving several examples of women who had become proficient through careful thought given to the subject.

Saying that genius is only an infinite capacity for taking pains can be applied to the art of being a hostess, Mrs. Duncan said. She dealt with two phases, the official and the private or personal hostess.

AS OFFICIAL HOSTESS

Several ways in which the official hostess can be successful were outlined. The speaker emphasized the necessity for preparation through painstaking organization. When presiding over a meeting the official hostess should remember that the speaker, although perhaps eminent, may not be at ease in unfamiliar surroundings, and may even be nervous. Such a realization will remove nervousness on the part of the hostess, when she tries to put at ease the guest speaker.

In welcoming the speaker the hostess should avoid gushing; a quiet sincerity conveying more than a multiplicity of words. It was suggested that the speaker should be made to feel at ease at the close as well as at the beginning of the address.

In entertaining another club the plans should be checked and double-checked, Mrs. Duncan said. Committees should be used freely and given full power, always with the checking of heads of committees, as the ultimate praise or blame always falls upon the president.

Mrs. Duncan pointed out the value of a receiving line, adding a word of warning that formality should be treated with dignity. She maintained that there can be a sweetly dignified formality even between people who know each other well, as in family parties.

DUTY TO ENTERTAIN

The task of being a hostess at home is more difficult, the speaker maintained. But this is something which is a duty.

"If you do not entertain you will live more and more in the hollow of your family, become more and more isolated," she stated. "It is a duty in this social community in which we live, to entertain."

Her hints for being a good hostess Mrs. Duncan based on her observations of a number of hostesses who had entertained her. She spoke of one who always prepared carefully, selecting guests tactfully and moving slowly among them, thus creating an atmosphere of repose and graciousness. She talked with different people, and when it was a mixed party, encouraged the men to chat together.

Another hostess keeps a list, not only of people whom she would like to entertain but of the parties she has given, with references to the guests, dates and menus.

One hostess always gives the conversation a lead, quietly withdrawing and interposing a remark at the right moment as a stimulus to further conversation.

A woman must also be a hostess to her family and to herself, Mrs. Duncan concluded. "Don't save up your difficulties and pour them out on your men," she suggested, adding that to be attractive not only makes the home lovelier but keeps up one's own morale.

Next Monday at 8 o'clock Mrs. Hazel Hodson will speak on "Cultural Appreciation."

Miss Margaret Ryan, girls' work secretary, introduced the speaker and Miss Dorothy Dodge, president of the Y-Owens Club, voiced the appreciation of the gathering.

University Women's Club—The University Women's Club will meet on Saturday evening, February 15, at 8 o'clock, at the Y.W.C.A. Dr. Isabel MacInnes, lecturer at the University of British Columbia, will speak on "The Spirit and Tradition of German Literature." Miss Dorothy Parsons will sing two German numbers.

The Local Council of Women will hold its annual meeting tomorrow and Thursday at the Victoria Truth Centre (former New Thought Hall), Fort Street. The session will open promptly at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, and Mrs. C. O. Spoford, the president, urged a prompt attendance so that the preliminaries may be over before Mayor Leeming addresses the gathering at 10:30. The agenda is such a heavy one, that only by prompt adherence to the times set will it be possible to accomplish all the business in the scheduled time, she reminds delegates.

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HERE FROM WINNIPEG



Miss Barbara Northwood who, with her mother, Mrs. George W. Northwood, is here from Winnipeg. They are guests at the Empress Hotel and expect to spend a couple of months here before leaving for the south. Mrs. Northwood and her daughter are both keen golfers and are frequent winter visitors here.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George James of Bulmark, Alberta, are among the visitors from Alberta spending the winter months in Victoria.

Mrs. C. Northey of Peace River is spending the remainder of the winter months in Victoria with her mother, Mrs. C. K. Harris, Calumet Avenue.

Captain R. W. McMurray, Beach Drive, left yesterday for California on a vacation trip and will travel as far south as Los Angeles in the course of his holiday.

Mrs. P. McLaughlin was hostess at a bridge party today, when she entertained in honor of Mrs. A. Hinkle of Boston at the Victoria Golf Club, Oak Bay.

Mrs. Hale of Moose Jaw, former proprietress of the Cadboro Bay Hotel that was burned some years ago, is spending a short time in Victoria before proceeding to California to visit for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gray, Hampshire Road, Oak Bay, left yesterday afternoon for Seattle en route by motor to California. They will travel as far south as Los Angeles before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Starck, Vancouver, arrived in Victoria this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. E. B. Nicholas, 2811 Rose Street, to Mr. J. W. Cuthbert, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cuthbert, 308 Catherine Street. The wedding will take place shortly.

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After visiting in Great Britain, France, Belgium and Austria for the last four months, Mrs. J. O. Cameron has sailed for New York. She expects to visit relatives and friends in the eastern and southern states for a few days before returning to Victoria.

The Uplands Golf Club will hold a Valentine dance on Friday evening at the clubhouse, following out its annual custom. The music will be supplied by Zala's orchestra, and a buffet supper will be served. Tickets, of which only a few still remain, may be obtained from Mr. Douglas Fletcher, 8013.

Mrs. Alex J. Fraser was hostess to a few friends at the tea hour this afternoon at her home on Joan Crescent, in complimentary farewell to Mrs. W. H. Raikes. Mrs. Raikes will leave tomorrow for Vancouver to visit friends there until Sunday, when she will be joined by Mr. Raikes and proceed with him to Ottawa where they will make their home.

Miss Doris McLaren left yesterday for Port Alberni from which port she sailed on the British freighter Everleigh for England, via the Panama Canal, calling en route at Jamaica. Miss McLaren, who has been a member of the office staff of the Canada Trust Company for the last eight years, has been granted six months' leave of absence.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. Bentley, 1653 Pembroke Street, entertained on Friday evening with a dance at Hampton Hall in honor of the twenty-first birthday anniversary of their son, Owen. During the evening delightful numbers were given by Misses Peggy Bentley, Molly Lacey and Alice Skelton in popular trio; Messrs. E. Bentley, H. Bentley, S. Hodgkinson and B. Bentley as the Skokie Hill Blues, and Mr. Leslie Fullerton in accordion solos. Supper was served from tables prettily decorated in colors of mauve, pink and yellow. The guest of honor was the recipient of the felicitations

MRS. W. H. BOOTH IS HONORED

Esquimalt I.O.D.E. Presentation to Retiring Regent; Mrs. G. P. Clarke New Head

Members of the Mary Croft Esquimalt Chapter I.O.D.E. at their annual meeting held yesterday afternoon at the municipal headquarters presented the retiring regent, Mrs. W. H. Booth, with a handsome suitcase in appreciation of her capable work during the two years she has held that office.

The gift, artistically packed in green wrappings tied with mauve ribbons and accompanied with a charming corsage bouquet and satin ribbon keroli on which appeared the signatures of the members, was presented by Mrs. G. P. Clarke, who voiced the sincere regret felt that a change of residence made Mrs. Booth's resignation necessary after fourteen years of association with the chapter.

Mrs. Booth expressed her pleasure at the kindly demonstration of the goodwill of the members and thanked them all for the loyal support they had accorded her while in office.

Mrs. Booth presented corsage bouquets to the outgoing officers, Mrs. F. R. Wright, Mrs. W. Brown, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. Horsford and Mrs. Ricketts. Mrs. W. Ellis, municipal regent, and Mrs. R. B. McKelving, as guests of honor, also received lovely corsages.

ELECTION HELD

The result of the election of officers was: Regent, Mrs. G. P. Clarke; first vice-regent, Mrs. S. D. Horsford; second vice-regent, Mrs. T. A. Allan; secretary, Mrs. H. O. Austin; treasurer, Mrs. R. Haack; educational secretary, Mrs. R. P. Matheson; Echoes secretary, Mrs. A. Poynter; standard bearer, Mrs. J. Quinn. Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. F. R. Wright and Mrs. A. A. Warder were nominated as councilors.

Regret was expressed at the continued illness of Mrs. H. O. Austin, and in her absence the secretary's report was read by Mrs. Clarke, reviewing the varied activities. Two new members had been enrolled.

DONATIONS MADE

The treasurer's report showed a satisfactory bank balance. Donations during the year were sent to secretaries of education, Girl Guides, Boy Scouts, Esquimalt Friendly Hop, Travellers' Aid, Lamson St. School milk fund and other causes.

Mrs. R. P. Matheson, educational secretary, reported that \$120 had been paid by the chapter to the secondary education fund. Thirty-eight calendar had been disposed of including those presented to the local schools. St. Paul's Boy Scouts and the Municipal Hall. The educational secretaries had given a bridge tea in aid of the funds, which had been well supported by members of the chapter. A report on the progress of the local bursary holders was given.

Mrs. J. Quinn, as graves convener, reported that thirty-seven graves in the Esquimalt Naval and Military Cemetery, as well as the secretary's memorials in the municipality had been decorated at Easter and Armistice Day.

Mrs. S. D. Horsford, standard bearer, gave her report. Mrs. Matheson, reporting as convener of the O.G. Guides, said the chapter has continued the donation to their adopted company and pack. Mrs. Ricketts reported ten additional subscribers to Echoes. Mrs. Sinner reported gifts to children in the Solarium at Easter and Christmas, and a gift of \$10 to the milk fund at the local school, also \$25 to the Friendly Help.

A report of the very successful card party held recently at Spencer's was given by the convener, Mrs. S. P. Clarke. Mrs. Conybeare, Mrs. J. Quinn and Mrs. R. Haack were thanked for their donation of the prizes.

At the conclusion of the meeting was served by the outgoing executive, special guests including Mrs. William Ellis, Mrs. L. A. George, K. Symons, Mrs. Weston, Mrs. Phipps, Mrs. P. E. Corby, Mrs. R. Shanks, Mrs. P. Beckett, Mrs. Hebdon Gillespie and Mrs. R. McKelving.

of all present, and speeches appropriate to the occasion were given. Later the dancing was continued to the strains of Doug Crest's orchestra. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. E. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. R. Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. L. Schmelz, Mr. and Mrs. G. Frazer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hocking, Mr. and Mrs. N. Sargent, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hodgkinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunter, Mrs. P. Edwards, Annie Walker, Messrs. Owen Bentley, Bunny Bentley, Jim Galloway, Ken Johnston, Nobby Clark, Cliff Joyce, Stan Hodgkinson, Wilson Johnson, Bill Hunter, W. Roberts, Bob and Fred Richardson, Ernie Fullerton, Pete Kay, Charlie Richardson, Dick Gough, Annie Shemmer, Archie McKinnon, Alice Briggs, H. Peard and H. Broadbent.

Mrs. D. Barclay-Ross was hostess at a children's party in Vancouver on Thursday afternoon, on the occasion of the eleventh birthday of her daughter, Mignon. Mr. and Mrs. D. Barclay-Ross of Shawinigan Lake, V.I., are spending the winter months in Vancouver.

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News of Clubwomen

St. Mary's W.A.—St. Mary's Senior W.A. will hold their monthly meeting on Thursday at 2:30 o'clock in the Parish Hall.

Conservative Women—The Women's Conservative Association will hold its regular business meeting on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in the rooms, Campbell Building. All members are asked to be present.

Native Daughters—The regular monthly meeting of the Native Daughters of B.C., Post No. 3, will be held on Wednesday evening, February 11, at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Pythias Hall, Broad Street.

Belmont W.A.—The W.A. of the Belmont Avenue United Church will hold a Valentine supper in the classrooms of the church, corner of Pembroke Street and Belmont Avenue, on Friday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock. An interesting programme will be given after the supper and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

Metropolitan Chummy Club—The monthly meeting of the Metropolitan Chummy Club was held on Friday at the home of Mrs. G. Williams, Queen's Avenue, with the president, Mrs. Crozier Smith presiding. At the conclusion of the business meeting, Miss Roslister and Miss Stubbs gave interesting talks, the former taking as her subject, "Our Late King George V," and the latter, "Our Present King Edward VIII," which were enjoyed. A beautiful solo was rendered at the piano by Mrs. R. Baker. In keeping with the subject a moment's silence was observed as a tribute to the late King. A social half hour concluded the meeting. The next meeting will be held on March 6 at the home of Mrs. E. F. Church, Johnson Street.

Rebekahs To Meet—The regular meeting of Colfax Rebekah Lodge No. 1, will be held in the I.O.O.F. Hall on Tuesday evening February 11 at 8 o'clock, all members are requested to be present. On Tuesday, February 23, a Valentine Leap Year dance will

be held in the Oddfellows' Auditorium and pivot-bridge in the large hall. A popular orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. Refreshments will be served and a good time is assured all who attend. These arrangements are in the hands of a very capable committee, with Mrs. Marie Penman as convener. Those wishing to reserve tables for the bridge may do so by telephoning Mrs. Mason Sands, G 3570, or Mrs. W. Dinmore, E 0328. Tickets for the dance may be had from any member of the social committee.

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FEED CAUTIONOUSLY

In order to minimize the digestive effects of any new food, only one teaspoonful should be offered the first week. After that, two teaspoonfuls or more may be served. My latest, "Introducing New Foods," will help the mother to keep the amounts of all strange foods at a cautious level. It may be had for a self-addressed three-cent stamped envelope sent to Myrtle Meyer Eldred of the Your Baby and Mine Department of this newspaper.

Unless the vegetables used are the canned, vacuum cooked ones designed for baby feeding, the best method of home cooking is to steam them.

RETAIN MINERALS

A regulation steamer may be used, or lacking this, the vegetables may be cut into small portions and steamed in a covered strainer suspended over—not in—boiling water. This method retains in the vegetable all its valuable minerals. It is not made any bitter and unappetizing by virtue of too lengthy cooking. When the vegetable is butter tender, it may be served for the infant or finely mashed for the older child. Butter and a little salt, or a milk sauce or a tablespoon of cream, may be added to it to make a dish that will delight any youngster.

Colwood

S. Wallis is a patient in St. Joseph's Hospital, having sustained injuries to his shoulder. The monthly meeting of St. John's W.A. will be held in Colwood Hall on Wednesday, February 12, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. A. M. Acheson Lyle will address the members.



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PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Townsend of California and Mr. Townsend's brother, Mr. George Townsend of Dawson, Yukon, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hubbard, 187 Clarence Street, over the week-end.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, K.C., of Victoria, was among the out-of-town guests at the "stag" dinner which Mr. S. L. Howe gave at his home on Nelson Street, Vancouver, prior to the wrestling matches in the mainland city on Saturday evening. Mr. Pooley made the trip to Vancouver by air.

Mr. A. Kingcombe, Mr. G. E. Holmes, Mr. R. B. Archibald, Mr. J. McCartney, Mr. T. A. B. Ferrie, Mr. Donald Turner, Mr. F. C. Potter, Mr. R. H. Haworth, Mr. Eric Torsion, Mr. J. B. Wolfe, Mr. G. M. McDonald, Mrs. Hepburn, Vancouver; Mr. R. B. Armstrong, Saskatoon; Mr. W. J. Bradley, Grenfell; Mr. C. A. Rowles, Mr. J. J. Swengel, Mr. F. Timmins, Mr. A. Kerr, Mr. A. Jackson, Mr. J. Carmichael, Vancouver; Mr. D. I. Walker, Jordan River; Mr. H. Mustant, Duncan; Mr. and Mrs. C. March, Lake Cowichan.

ANGELIC WORK IS REVIEWED

Social Service Council of Church Issues Annual Report

"Adventures in Neighboring" is the title given to the twentieth annual report of the Council for Social Service of the Church of England in Canada.

The report is an account of the council's many activities. It includes the work of the executive committee and the financial report of the treasurer.

It deals with work in unemployment camps; western relief; Vernon-Woods Memorial Award; welfare work at the council's office; the joint effort of the General Board of Religious Education and the Council for Social Service in arranging for the "adoption" of isolated needy Sunday schools in the west by Sunday schools in the east, etc.

The report is illustrated, containing pictures of the church army workers in the unemployment camps at Valcartier, Que., with a group of the interior of the lovely little chapel. A fine picture of a group of members of the Russian church with the friendship worker in Toronto, and others are also shown.

An account of the work of the Church Army, women's auxiliary, mother's union is given. A very fine statement by the Rev. Rankin Barnes, executive secretary of the Department of Christian Social Service of the Episcopal Conference of Social Work held in Montreal, and the share the council had in making it a success is a very interesting feature.

The new Canon—Canon VII placed at the last General Synod regarding the status and work of the council—has been printed in the back of the report.

The year's work closed with the prayer: "Show us how best our council may minister to every need of thy people in free and loyal service to thy holy church."

A copy of this report will be sent free on application to the office of the Council for Social Service, 604 Jarvis Street, Toronto 5.

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"Figures for pupils in our High Schools and Normal Schools are hardly better; in our High Schools nearly 50 per cent, and in our Normal Schools more than 80 per cent, are reported as suffering from measure of notifiable physical defect. In 21,217 children examined in the rural and assisted schools, the percentage of defects found is stated to be 111.24 per cent, some children having multiple notifiable defects."

50 PER CENT CORRECTED
The survey had been followed up to such good purpose, Dr. Young stated, that during last year 50 per cent of the defects among school children had been corrected under the aegis of the Provincial Department of Health.

Many of these defects, he noted, originated in the pre-school age, and to this end, the "health work" was being extended into the homes, in order to prevent and remedy such defects at the earliest possible stage.

But success in this field needed the full support of public opinion and the help of voluntary organizations would spend up to the people and to this end, the "health work" was being extended into the homes, in order to prevent and remedy such defects at the earliest possible stage.

Only by driving home to the people as a whole, the absolute necessity for co-operation on their part could the maximum public health be secured.

Y.M.C.A. Luncheon Show—Wednesday, March 11, is the date chosen by the ladies' auxiliary to the Y.M.C.A. for their annual luncheon show. The place will be announced later.

U.S. SENATOR AND FAMILY



A quiet, demure Senator Long of Louisiana will serve in the present session of the United States Congress, a striking contrast to the militant, fire-breathing Senator Long of the last session. The widow of the slain "Kingfish," named to fill his unexpired term, here is shown with her children, as she prepared to take up her congressional duties. Left to right are Palmer Reid, Mrs. Long, Russell—whose resemblance to his late father is striking—and Rose.

Health Preventive Work The Soundest Economy

Dr. H. E. Young Commends Work of Solorium; Provincial Survey Shows Need of Fullest Public Support of Such Efforts, He Tells Annual Meeting

By supporting measures tending to the prevention and correction of health defects in the early stages, the public was not only ensuring the establishment of a sound citizenry, but would be saving themselves money, Dr. H. E. Young told the annual general meeting of the Queen Alexandra Solorium yesterday afternoon.

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"Figures for pupils in our High Schools and Normal Schools are hardly better; in our High Schools nearly 50 per cent, and in our Normal Schools more than 80 per cent, are reported as suffering from measure of notifiable physical defect. In 21,217 children examined in the rural and assisted schools, the percentage of defects found is stated to be 111.24 per cent, some children having multiple notifiable defects."

50 PER CENT CORRECTED
The survey had been followed up to such good purpose, Dr. Young stated, that during last year 50 per cent of the defects among school children had been corrected under the aegis of the Provincial Department of Health.

Many of these defects, he noted, originated in the pre-school age, and to this end, the "health work" was being extended into the homes, in order to prevent and remedy such defects at the earliest possible stage.

But success in this field needed the full support of public opinion and the help of voluntary organizations would spend up to the people and to this end, the "health work" was being extended into the homes, in order to prevent and remedy such defects at the earliest possible stage.

Only by driving home to the people as a whole, the absolute necessity for co-operation on their part could the maximum public health be secured.

Y.M.C.A. Luncheon Show—Wednesday, March 11, is the date chosen by the ladies' auxiliary to the Y.M.C.A. for their annual luncheon show. The place will be announced later.

Insures Charms For \$1,260,000

Fay Marbe, U.S. Actress, Places High Premium on Her Beauty; Missionary's Memory Honored

London (Special Correspondence)—Two actresses—one whose beauty is reputed to be insured for \$250,000 and the other whose work calls for the use of half a pound of grease paint a day—are in the news this week.

The woman whose beauty is worth \$250,000, is Fay Marbe, the American actress who has arrived in London. Her smile is reputed to be insured for \$50,000.

Her legs for \$200,000 and her hands for \$2,000.

Miss Yvette Pienne is the actress who is making records with grease paint.

She is one of the stars in "1066 and All That," the historical farce which is having a most successful run at the Strand Theatre, London.

In it, Miss Pienne takes many roles, for the farce is made up of episodes of history as it never was.

In one scene she is an ancient Briton, then she becomes a woman of the Crusade period—next, Queen Elizabeth—and so on through the ages. Each part demands a separate make-up—and sometimes a false nose.

MILL GIRL TO MISSIONARY
Twenty-one years ago, Mary Mitchell Slesor, a Scotswoman missionary, died at Iju, Nigeria, at the age of sixty-seven.

Now, in her memory, the British Broadcasting Corporation has presented a special programme to mark the anniversary of her death. The work she did for Africa, it is said, ranks close in importance to that of Livingstone.

Her life resembles his in many ways. Mary Slesor was born near Aberdeen where her father was a shoemaker. The family was always poor and when they moved to Dundee, Mary went to work in the mills as a part-time weaver. She was then only eleven years old—but on Sundays she helped to take a class at a Sunday school there.

From this sprang her determination to be a missionary. Directly she was old enough, she sailed from Liverpool for Calabar in West Africa.

There her life becomes a story of fearless striving for better conditions for the natives and relentless endeavor to break down the cruel tribal customs such as those of condemning twins to death.

As years went by, Mary grew beloved by hundreds of natives up and down the country. At her death, she was universally mourned and in Dundee a stained-glass memorial window was set up showing her early work as a mill girl and then her life in Africa.

The broadcast in her memory this week showed how bravely went hand in hand with religion for Mary Slesor.

On one occasion, for example, she discovered a party of women being ambushed by men of another tribe. Single-handed, Mary Slesor went to the rescue of the women and held the men off by her pleas until help arrived.

WIVES RAR "SKITTISH" SPINSTERS
"I'm off to the club," will soon be a saying of wives round Croydon way, a suburb of London.

A wives' club has been formed there under the auspices of the Young Women's Christian Association, and already many women have enrolled. Spinster may join, too—but only "responsible" ones.

At the club's first meeting, held this week, the wives passed a resolution banning the admission of spinsters below the age of twenty-five. Unmarried girls under that age, they considered, were too "skittish" to mix socially with married women, young or old.

So far this provision has been unnecessary, for no spinsters appear to want to mix with the wives! At any rate, none have yet applied for membership.

WHERE CLEOPATRA WOULD WILT
The formation of this club is being taken as a weapon by numerous women who are up in arms against references to the "narrow" and monotonous life of young wives made recently by Mr. Wilson Harris, editor of The Spectator.

He was lecturing on "Women—Right and Wrong" to a meeting of housewives.

As a result, women in many parts of the country are angry with him. "Age could not wither Cleopatra nor custom stale her infinite variety, but the one-maid villa in Wembley, a London district, would have done it in eighteen months."

This is the passage in Mr. Harris' lecture which has aroused most wrath—wives, it appears, object vigorously to being compared unfavorably with Cleopatra.

Mr. Wilson was expressing his concern about women who left school at the age of eighteen and who married soon afterwards to men with incomes of from \$400 to \$500 a year.

A scientific inquiry, he said, should be carried out to discover how young suburban wives spend their afternoons. What sort of books they read, whether they read a newspaper in a critical or credulous spirit and what they listened to on the radio, he emphasized, were questions of vital importance for the future of the British race. Women who spent their leisure profitably were far more capable of rearing intelligent children.

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CHAPTER VI

Zoe, after all, was not angry. Katharine's heart softened when she saw her at the Country Club dance—small and round and wistful in her floating printed silk, which was the prize of the frocks she had brought back from Paris.

It was a gala night at the club. Ribbons of colored paper flew back and forth, and balloons were set free, only to be punctured by the cigarette smoke of some roisterer. Katharine danced with Dr. Kaye, to be cut in upon again and again. She looked lovely tonight in clear ivory silk, the gown molded to the lines of her exquisite young figure. Bertine Styrkurst, glancing at Katharine's animated face, as she laughed and talked with John Kaye, observed to her husband with satisfaction that Katharine had evidently forgotten all about that career nonsense.

Frank Corlies, the typical sophomore, in elegant evening dress, with a real Parisian for a mother, made a foil for Zoe Parker. Lisa Parker and Bertine both agreed that she was a charming pair.

"He seems quite mad about her," Lisa sighed. "I wouldn't mind seeing her settle down—after this last year."

"You've had a worrying time of it," agreed Bertine, who knew all about Gibbs and who, although not a mother herself, would tell anyone who cared to listen that the girl of today was certainly a problem.

"The only thing Katharine really seems to care about," Bertine said brightly, "is riding. Really, I wish sometimes that Victor had let her have a horse of her own. I am not quite sure I like the idea of exposing her to the charms of that young westerner over at Shady Ridge. Much too good-looking, in a certain crude way."

"Oh, Katharine's all right," Lisa Parker said comfortably, watching Zoe's brown curls bob against young Corlies's black-coated shoulder. "She is so serene. Nothing ever seems to trouble her."

Bertine started to reply, but thought better of it. People mis-understood so, if she said a single word about Katharine! That was what it was to be a stepmother. Nobody gave you the least bit of credit.

Katharine steered John out on the terrace. "Nasty!" she observed, drooping against a pillar.

"And hot!"

"John, you see what I mean about father and Bertine? I haven't had a chance to talk to you tonight," said Dr. Kaye. "I see. They want to keep you wrapped in cotton wool. Your father doesn't know you've grown up."

Her eyes glittered feverishly in the half light.

"How—how can I escape from it?"

He laughed, and something of the wholesome quality of his own good, gentle personality touched her with a sort of healing, releasing her from the maddening tensions which had bound her all day.

"Well, the Victorians used to marry to get out from under parental supervision. But that didn't work so well. Maybe it does nowadays. Women seem to rule the roost."

"Don't be vulgar," but she was laughing, too.

"However, she pursued, with relief. "You don't just marry—like that, I mean. You've got to be well, at least, think you're in love."

"Plenty of boys have been loping around after you tonight," said Dr. Kaye quietly. "In the light from the flare of his match, cupped against the breeze, she could see his lean, almost ascetic face. Thirty, John was; he was already a fine doctor and a man everyone respected. The woman who married him would be a lucky person, Katharine thought, innocently.

"Oh, boys!" she rejoined, on a note of contempt.

"Don't like 'em, eh?"

"Not—much!" she confessed. There was a wicker couch here, with deep square cushions. She sank into it and John Kaye sat down beside her.

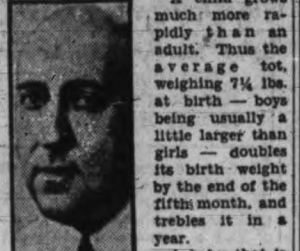
"There's somebody else?"

"Not—really." She sighed. John would be a perfect person to confide in. She needed a confidante; it was hard, always keeping things to yourself. And there was no one she could talk to, really. Bertine didn't understand. . . . oh, she meant to, but she never really heard what you said; or if she did you were certain she would use it as a lunch table topic next day. No, she wouldn't confide in Bertine. Besides, there was really nothing to tell about Michael Heathcote. Katharine had had, on arriving at

The Truth About Diet

By DR. MORRIS FISHEIN

If a baby continued throughout life to grow as rapidly as it does in infancy, it would weigh many tons before its death. That illustrates why children need food for growth as well as energy.



A child grows much more rapidly than an adult. Thus the average tot, weighing 74 lbs. at birth, is, by being usually a little larger than girls—doubles its birth weight by the end of the fifth month, and triples it in a year.

A baby that is milk usually grows a little more rapidly than one who is artificially fed. But if the little one is fed artificially in the proper way, the rate of growth will equal that of the breast-fed infant.

In selecting the diet of your child, other factors, too, must be considered.

A new-born baby, while asleep, uses up to six calories per pound of weight as its mother does. That explains why babies have to be well covered when they are asleep. They are off more heat; and if they are not well covered, the infants use up their body tissues to restore the lost heat. Very tiny babies have to be kept warm with hot water bottles or in incubators.

A child grows, his energy needs increase. The period of adolescence is one of great muscular activity. Whereas a year-old child uses up about 1,000 calories daily, at two years he needs 1,200; at five, 1,400; at ten, 2,500; and, at fifteen years of age, 3,500 calories a day.

An excessively thin child may have to take extra amounts of food to gain weight. Thus, of two eight-year-olds a very large boy will need more food than an average-sized one.

The more exercise a child has, the more food he should eat. As he grows older, his energy needs will begin to decline, and he will no longer need food to support growth, but only for activity and health.

Sometimes, though, the habits of eating acquired during the growing period are carried into maturity, in which case overweight is almost certain to occur. People who do not take much exercise, yet eat large amounts of food, not only gain extra weight, but also develop digestive troubles.

These points must be kept in mind in choosing a diet for the child. In addition, there are certain dietary factors essential for health and growth to be considered. These I shall discuss in later articles in this series.

TODAY'S HEALTH QUESTION

Q—Is overeating from two to five hours several times weekly detrimental to the health?

A—When one is in good health and perfectly normal in every way, the inclination to sleep is a safe guide as to the amount of sleep required. Of course, one can easily form of slothful habit of lying in bed and sleeping much longer than is necessary. This habit, however, is seldom harmful in a physical way. When it persists, it suggests some abnormal condition and should be looked into by a physician. Needless to say, late hours, fatigue from overwork, a digestive disturbance of any sort may lead to too much or too little sleep.

LAUGHTON GIVES LINCOLN SPEECH

Movie Star on Air From London Tomorrow; Man Who Saw Murder Heard

Charles Laughton, British actor who gave Lincoln's Gettysburg address so effectively in the motion picture, "Ruggles of Red Gap," and who subsequently turned down numerous radio offers to repeat it, tonight has consented to deliver the famous oration in a programme for the school children of America on Lincoln's birthday tomorrow over an NBC blue network at 3.15 p.m. Pacific standard time.

Laughton's oration will be brought to America from London by the National Broadcasting Company. The actor will go directly from the movie sound stage at Elstree, England, where he is working on a picture, to the London studios of the British Broadcasting Corporation, whence the address will be short-waved across the Atlantic.

Joseph Hesselton, the only living person who actually saw the assassination of President Lincoln, will be presented by KXV, Hollywood, at 11.30 a.m. tomorrow to tell in his own words this tragic incident in American history.

Mr. Hesselton, then a young lad selling programmes in the Ford Theatre, stood only a few feet from the President's box when the fateful shot was fired which killed the Great Emancipator.

On recommendation of the parks committee, the City Council yesterday authorized the removal of every second tree on the Michigan Street boulevard, between Government and Douglas Streets.

W. J. Cull was awarded the refreshment stand concession at the Royal Athletic Park for this year by the City Council yesterday evening. The cost will be \$120, including \$10 for a license fee.

Payment of \$125 fee to the Union of B.C. Municipalities for 1936 membership was authorized by the City Council yesterday evening.

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THE SPORTS MIRROR

AFTER the snow and ice last week-end, Victoria was returning to a normal sport outlook today, with several features claiming major attention.

As they trudged through slush yesterday, youngsters—and some of their elders—looked back on one of the most pleasant weekends of the winter, that fleeting glimpse of snow the city sometimes holds out to lovers of the more robust sports.

The boy on the barrel-stave skis who startled the residents of Empire Street with a weird series of slides, swoops and a somersault or two for good measure, deserves a bouquet in any column that recognizes entertainment values in the rough. With a little more cold weather and continued snow the city might have developed something entirely new in that sphere of athletic endeavor. And the way sleigh artists picked off the "Slow" owl at the bottom of Moss Street Hill should furnish a new standard for following bob-sledders to shoot at.

Swinging back from the unorganized sport of the sled-run, Victoria will be offered its annual basketball extravaganza at the High School this week. Once again the touring House of David boys, whiffy wizards of the game, have been booked for an appearance against the Dominos and will play tomorrow and Friday evenings. Not only are the Benton Harbor boys marvels as basketball players, but they have, with Red Johnson back on the squad, one of the craziest outfits that have ever tossed a ball at a hoop. If it's basketball the customers want they'll get it. And if it's comedy, they should not be disappointed.

It is thought in local basketball circles that with such a fine second line to strengthen their main force, the local squad will provide stronger and better opposition against the invading five, who have in previous years walked away with Victoria with ease.

Alec McKeechie, Jack Mottishaw, Alex Kinnear and Ollie Oshinshaw, who form the second string for the Dominos, have proved themselves capable of taking the places of the regulars on the floor, and should aid the Dominos considerably in their quest for victory.

Dependent on the condition of fields in Victoria and Vancouver will be the rugby programme for the week-end. If Brockton Point is in shape, the Capitals are scheduled to play their long-postponed fixture against Varsity for the McKeechie Cup. The teams are at present bracketed in the three-game series with a victory apiece over Vancouver. The locals should be able to retain their laurels, judging from games of major calibre this year. They made a better showing against Vancouver than did the students—and against New Zealand's All-Blacks their record was infinitely superior to that of the combined U.B.C. and Vancouver rep side.

Should ground be playable in Vancouver but suitable for games here, the scheduled Barnard Cup final between the Bays-Wanderers and the Fifth Brigade will hold the spotlight. The Bays-Wanderers, since amalgamation, have been the team to beat in the senior league and should give the Gunners all they can handle in the final. There is a fair amount of confidence in both camps, and given satisfactory playing conditions, the game should be one of the best in the senior league to date.

Possibility of referee troubles may crop up in the city championship final. It was understood from certain quarters that Penny McMillan was favored by one side to handle the fixture, while the other was partial to Alan LeMarquand. McMillan used to play for the Bays, while LeMarquand last turned out as an active performer in the uniform of the Fifth. The matter might be settled easily enough by the selection of C. E. Ley or some other referee. There is no suggestion that either LeMarquand or McMillan would be partial in the execution of the job, but it might avoid a lot of post-game comment if either handled the engagement.

Following the New Zealand All-Blacks game here, a sports follower of wide repute in this city suggested rugby authorities try out the system of using two referees for important games. Replies came back that it

Hard Fought Games Mark Second Round Olympic Fixtures

Stars and Stripes Squad Wins 2 to 0; Lindquist Team Victors 1 to 0

Canadian Trained Men Star in Games

Canadian Press Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—With Frank Shaughnessy of Montreal, and Phila La Batte, French-Canadian of Minneapolis playing outstanding roles, the United States team defeated Czechoslovakia 2 to 0 in the first of four second-round games on today's Olympic hockey programme.

La Batte got his first taste of actual Olympic combat when manager Walter Brown sent him out to team up on the United States defence with Shaughnessy. The pair completely spiked the Czechoslovakian thrusts and at the same time led numerous dangerous attacks on the opposing goal.

La Batte got assists on both United States counters, which came in the second frame. Frank Spain notching the first and Johnny Garrison the second.

The United States team outplayed the Czechs most of the way. Spain of Boston scored the first goal after four minutes, fifty seconds of the second period had elapsed. Garrison, another Bostonian, tallied the second in 13.40.

FIGURED TO ENTER FINAL With the Czechs, regarded as Europe's most powerful team, safely out of the way, the United States seemed certain to qualify for the final round-robin series. The United States team still has Austria and Sweden to play in the current round-robin, but neither looks as strong as Czechoslovakia.

The other survivors, lined up in another group, include Canada, three-times Olympic champion Great Britain, Germany and Hungary. The two teams in each group which gain top ranking in the current round-robin will qualify for the final.

LINEUPS: United States—Moones, goal; La Batte, right defence; Shaughnessy, left defence; Garrison, centre. Smith, right wing; Rowe, left wing.

Czechoslovakia—Peka, goal; Hromadka, right defence; Malcek, left defence; Puzar, centre; Tokiska, right wing; D. Jirokka, left wing.

U.S. subs—Spain, Stubbs and Ross. Czechoslovakia—Uucera, Trojak and Z. Jirokka.

Officials—Erhardt, England and Lotec, Belgium.

SUMMARY

First period—No scoring. Penalty, Spain.

Second period—1, United States, Spain (Lahti) 4.50; 2, United States, Garrison (Spain) 13.40.

Penalty—Stubbs.

Third period—No scoring. Penalties, none.

SWEDES WIN

Canadian Press Cable Lake Reisersee, Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—Sweden's Canadian coached team won its first engagement in the second round of the Olympic hockey series today by noosing out Austria 1 to 0 on unprotected Lake Reisersee several miles from the twin Olympic villages.

The Swedes, handled by Vic Lindquist, member of Canada's team that noosed out the United States in the 1932 final at Lake Placid, scored the winning goal in the first period and thereafter held the well-balanced Austrian outfit at bay.

Canadian Figure Skater Collapses

Associated Press Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Constance Samuels of Toronto, Canada's chief hope in the Olympic women's figure skating championship, collapsed today from the effects of a bad cold and was forced to withdraw. The Canadian star, whose breakdown occurred as she was executing school figures in the competition, was taken to a hospital but it was said there her condition was not serious.

NEW RULING ON HOCKEY

Five-year Residence Ruling to Be Enforced for Olympic Ice Teams

Canadian Press Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—Under the new ruling of the International Hockey Federation Great Britain is now designated as a country separate from her Dominions and Britons who migrate to Canada, for instance, must return and hold five years' residence in the Motherland to qualify as a representative of Great Britain in the Olympic hockey series.

The ruling followed heated exchanges between authorities of Canada, Britain, United States and some European countries, over eligibility of Jimmy Foster, goalkeeper, formerly of Winnipeg and Montreal, and Alex Archer, also a former resident of the Manitoba hockey centre.

The pair of topnotch hockey men returned to England last summer without gaining permission of the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association which then placed them on the suspended list. English hockey heads ignored the ruling but the I.H.F. took cognizance of it on the eve of the Olympics and banned the men.

THE BRITISH tossed some barbed thrusts in the general direction of E. A. Gilroy and Fred Marples, president and treasurer, respectively, of the C.A.H.A., and the latter retorted in kind. However, before the English took the ice for their first game efforts by the Canadians to get the men reinstated for the Olympics were successful.

Foster and Archer were scheduled to be in the lineup when the Canadian defending champions faced the English in one of the four semi-final matches on today's programme.

The five-year residence rule has always been applicable to countries participating in both winter and summer Olympic Games but heretofore some of the Mother country living in her Dominions and colonies have been able to return and carry the Union Jack into competition without adhering to that ruling.

CUP FOOTBALL GAMES CARDED

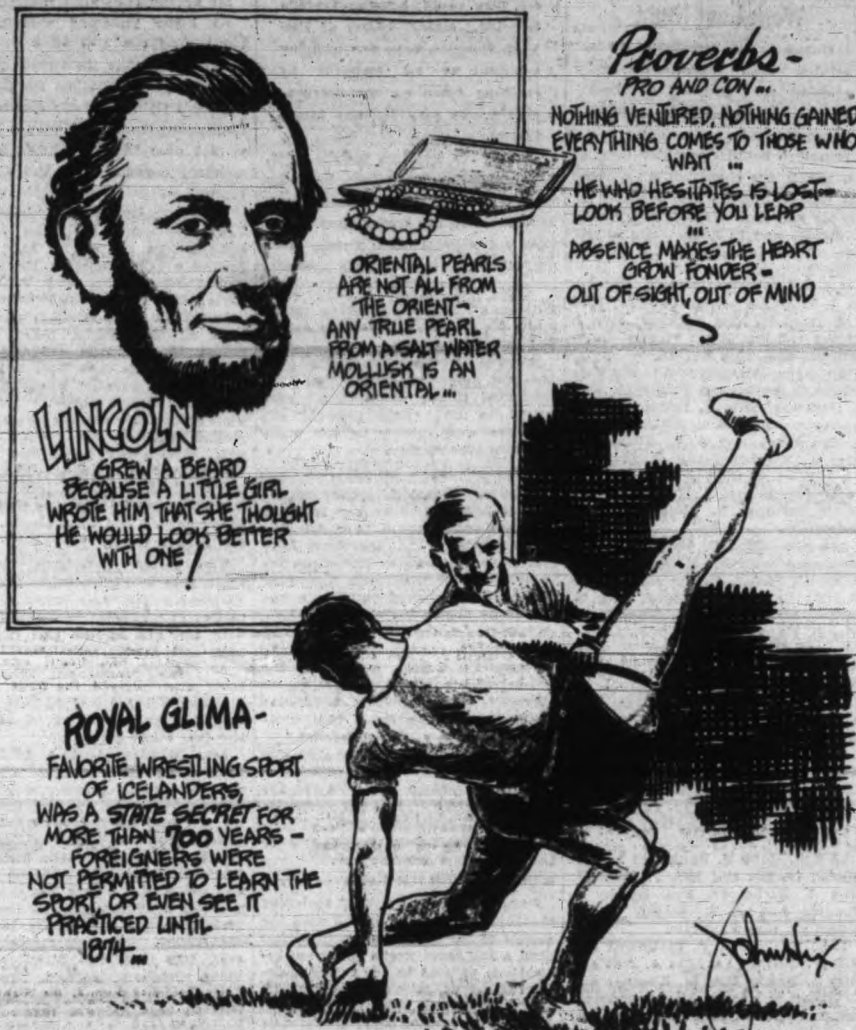
Peden and McGavin Cup Games to Be Played Saturday Afternoon at 2.30

Two soccer fixtures will be played Saturday afternoon, one of which will be a McGavin Cup final and the other a Peden Cup semi-final.

Esquimalt and Victoria West, smart first division aggregations, who are said to be the best-matched pair in the Saturday league, will battle it out in the McGavin Cup final at the Athletic Park. J. C. "Scotty" Dowds will officiate.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS

—By John Hix



Like Japan's more effective Jujitsu, Iceland's national form of wrestling was long preserved as a national secret and all foreigners were forbidden to witness its performance or learn its technique. Not until 1874 did Iceland permit glima wrestling to be put on in public exhibitions where it could be seen by non-Icelanders. The ban had been in effect since about 1100; the secret was kept for nearly eight centuries.

In recent years the glima has been filmed for news reels, and in 1929 a

Scotty Campbell To Play In City

Seattle Golf Ace to Perform in Empress Midwinter Tournament Scheduled to Start Next Week

Seattle's amateur golfers will lead a mixed field of nearly fifty sound City masher welders into the Empress Hotel midwinter golf tournament scheduled to start next Monday at Colwood. It was learned from authoritative circles today.

Campbell, twice holder of the Canadian and Pacific Northwest amateur championships, will greatly brighten the field as far as low handicap men are concerned.

The Seattle player sprang into prominence in Canadian play, here several years ago and again repeated his success in the national field in eastern Canada. A clever and consistent player, he will lend considerable lustre to the tournament.

In addition to playing for the Sir Edward Beatty handicap trophies, Campbell will strengthen the good four-man Seattle team which will be out to defend its laurels won in the tournament last year. Lee Steel, one of the more popular Seattle golfers, well known to the local golfing fraternity, will not be able to make the trip.

However, with such low handicap players as Ralph Whaley and Ernie Ketcham, winner and runner-up, respectively, in last year's open championship which is played on scratch basis: Alex Gray, Carl Havens, Dr. Clare Shannon, Paul Gleser, Fred Hicks, Babe Butterworth and a few others to choose from to line up with Scotty, Seattle's quartette should present stern opposition for all comers when the firing begins.

Hoop Wizards Here Tomorrow

Rhodesians Draw With Australia

Canadian Press Bulawayo, Rhodesia, Feb. 11.—The Rhodesian cricket team, which toured Australia from 1934-35, ended today in a draw. Against the tourists' total of 357 runs, Rhodesia obtained 157 for loss of four wickets. Heavy rain curtailed play considerably.

RISKO WINS DRAB BATTLE

Retains Middleweight Title in Unimpressive Verdict Over Fisher

Associated Press Newark, N.J., Feb. 11.—Eddie "Babe" Risko, rugged Syracuse, N.Y., fighter, successfully defended his middleweight championship for the first time yesterday evening, trouncing Tony Fisher, twenty-one-year-old New Yorker, in a drab contest.

The titleholder won eight of the ten rounds. Referee Whitley Healey gave one, the seventh, to Fisher, and called one even.

A crowd of 2,500 paid \$2,600 to see the show, the first title bout in Newark in years. Risko received approximately \$1,000.

The eight-round semi-final between Wesley Ramsey of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Frankie Williams, Newark negro, turned out to be a better scrap, with Ramsey winning the referee's decision.

Fisher landed no more than a half dozen hard blows and appeared to be too cautious in the early rounds. Risko was far from impressive but belted the challenger repeatedly with hard rights to the body.

VICTORIA IN TWO VICTORIES

St. Louis College and Cardinals Win in Hoop Play-offs; Coalmen Defeated

Duncan, Feb. 10.—Securing a 13 to 10 lead as the teams reached the breather, and pressing heavily in the final quarter, the Duncan Intermediate A quintette defeated the visiting Kinsman Gillespie squad, from Victoria 34 to 26, yesterday evening in the feature of the three-game card staged at the Agricultural Hall here, in the initial game of a home-and-home series in the Vancouver Island basketball play-downs.

The visiting St. Louis College hoopers, intermediate B squad, turned back the Chemainus quintette 46 to 32, after a hard and bitter struggle. It was the first game of a home-and-home series. Kelly and the Martin brothers secured nearly all the College's points when they registered thirteen each, while Crucial and G. Smith got eleven and ten points respectively for the losers. The Collegians led at half-time 25 to 18.

Scoring almost at will, Cardinals, Victoria girls walked away with the Duncan Elks 46 to 10 in a women's Senior B tussle, in the initial match of a home-and-home series. The victors, playing better ball throughout, led 33 to 4 at the interval.

Roy Haines and B. Bennett, Duncan, and Chuck Sharpe and Bob Macmurchie, Victoria, refereed.

The teams follow: St. Louis College—Kelly (13), B. Martin (13), S. Martin (6), Brodigan (13), Perry Leonard, Hughes and Gillis. Total 46.

Chemainus—K. McGladry (13), Hunter (9), Phillips, Cruell (11), Hunter (2), Holberg and Laidlaw (7). Total 50.

Duncan—Strouger (10), Whan (13), Jack (2), Pitt (2), Evans (3), Pait (4) and Bonner. Total 34.

Kinsman—Gillespie—McDonnell, Berry (1), Allen, Johnson (7), Dale (4), Barber (5), Phillips and Turner (9). Total 36.

House of David to Play Dominoes in First of Two Games at High School; Red Johnson on Team

A wealth of basketball wisdom tucked behind their face foliage, whiskered House of David hoopers will open a two-night stand at the Victoria High gym tomorrow evening. The Benton Harbor boys will play their second engagement on Friday night at the same court. In both cases, the Olympic-aspiring Dominos will furnish the opposition.

Last year the House of David played virtually straight basketball to beat the locals, who had to put on the comedy show themselves. This year, with Red Johnson back on the tourists' roster, there should be fun aplenty coming from the visiting side.

Organized several seasons ago by George Johnson, the Davids have spent their time largely in touring the midwest, far west and Pacific Coast, averaging about 125 games a season. Of those they have taken about 90 per cent.

Largely composed of ex-college stars as well as members of the Benton Harbor colony, the team has won its way into the ranks of the continent's better basketball attractions. The team's games in Victoria have marked their only appearance in Canada and the visits have been made possible by special permission of the B.C. Basketball Association and the provincial branch of the A.A.U. of Canada.

After an absence of one year "Red" Johnson will again be in the lineup of this famous organization. "Red" was missing last year when the team appeared in Victoria and his brilliant shooting and colorful antics were missed by the fans. Two years ago, in the two games played here, he scored twenty-one and nineteen points mostly on "howitzer" shots from near mid-court. In the warm-up previous to one game he never missed a shot and ended up by sinking five "buckets" who standing on the centre strip. When he is not scoring baskets Red is putting on an "act" which includes everything from an exhibition of American football to cheer leading.

Other members of the team include "Big" Curtis, rangy centre man of last year's squad; Charles Kehas, Henry Beelman, Jerry Martin and Bob Curtis, who will be making their first appearance in Victoria.

A complete sell-out for tomorrow's engagement was assured today. Jack Taylor, president of the local basketball league said: "As the curtain raiser, the Units will play the second of their home-and-home games against Shawigan for the Lower Island women's senior B championship. The Victoria girls will enter the fray favorites for the total point honors, having set up a seventeen-point margin over the Shawigan quintette last Saturday. The preliminary will start at 8 o'clock, and doors will be thrown open to the public half an hour earlier."

Dunc Littlefair To Join Salmonbellies

Canadian Press New Westminster, Feb. 11.—New Westminster Salmonbellies have added the name of another eastern star to their 1936 roster in their effort to regain for the west Canadian lacrosse laurels.

Mayor F. J. Rume, president of the Royal City club, announced yesterday that Dunc Littlefair, blond flash who aided Hamilton Tigers capture the Munn Cup here in 1933, will arrive shortly to join a trio of Ontario stars who have already been signed by the New Westminster team.

Doug Grant Beaten By Edmonton Star

Edmonton, Feb. 11.—Doug Grant, twice former holder of the Canadian badminton singles title, bowed to twenty-one-year-old George Roberts, city champion, 15-9, 15-7, here yesterday evening in a surprising upset. It was an exhibition match, Grant, with Charlie Jones, stopping off en route to their Winnipeg homes from the British Columbia championships in Vancouver.

Jones, five times Manitoba champion, was extended to three sets to defeat the veteran Fraser Mitchell, 7-15, 15-11, 15-10.

TORCHY ENTERS BIG BIKE RACE

Chicago, Feb. 11.—The thirty-fifth Chicago International six-day bicycle race will be decided in the Stadium, March 15 to 21. William "Torchy" Peden, huge redhead from Victoria, B.C., was the first rider to enter.

Shuttle Tourney Commences Tonight

Play in the third annual handicap badminton tournament of the Victoria Badminton Club will commence this evening on the Willow courts, at 7.30 o'clock. A large field is entered and keen competition is expected.

President Dr. Arthur Poynts announced yesterday evening that all competitors are asked to be on hand, as those not scheduled to play may have an opportunity to run off some matches.

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SOCCER GAMES ON TOMORROW

Spencers to Meet Recreational Centre; Wanderers to Oppose Kresges

Two soccer engagements in the Saanich and District Soccer League will be played tomorrow afternoon, one at the Athletic Park and the other at Heywood Avenue, with the kick-offs for Spencer's soccer eleven will contend with the newly-organized Recreational Centre squad at the Athletic Park with Percy Shrimpton handling the whistle.

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Schriner, Dillon Stay In Front

New York Sharpshooters
Keep Ahead in Canadian
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Canadian Press
Montreal, Feb. 11.—Right in the New York clubs for berths in the National Hockey League playoffs, Dave Schriner of Americans and Cecil Dillon of Rangers continued consistent scoring last week to lead, respectively, the Canadian and United States sections.

Figures issued yesterday evening from President Frank Calder's office showed Schriner, left wing star, scored four goals and one assist as Americans took a three-point grip on third place in the Canadian section. He leads the whole league with fourteen goals, sixteen assists, thirty points.

DILLON GETS THREE
Dillon scored three goals for Rangers to take dual honors. He took over league leadership in actual goals scored, sixteen, while his ten assists for twenty-six points gave him top place in the United States section and a tie with Art Chapman of Americans for second spot in the whole league. Chapman, in on most of Schriner's goals, tops all others in assists, with seventeen. He has nine goals.

His injuries cleared up, Charlie Conacher of Toronto Maple Leafs found his scoring eye for three goals, aided in another, and climbed to a tie with Bill Thomas, his teammate, for third place in the Canadian section, each with twenty-five points. Gain of the week was by Larry Northcutt, Maroons' left winger, who had a field day against Canadiens for four points and brought his total to 2-12-21, compared with 4-15-19 a week ago.

Red Horner, Toronto defenceman, injured last week at New York, stood still at top of the penalty parade with 127 minutes. Allan Shields of Maroons climbed a little closer with sixty-one minutes.

CANADIAN SECTION
W. L. D. F. A. Pts.
Toronto 15 14 8 87 78 35
Montreal 14 12 5 66 64 33
Americans 12 17 4 71 75 28
Canadiens 9 17 7 62 83 25

UNITED STATES SECTION
W. L. D. F. A. Pts.
Detroit 15 9 7 72 60 37
Chicago 16 13 8 58 53 35
Rangers 14 14 6 66 74 34
Boston 15 14 3 56 51 33

CANADIAN SECTION
G. A. P. Pts.
Schriner, Amns. 14 16 30 4
Chapman, Amns. 9 17 26 12
Conacher, Tor. 14 11 25 48
Thomas, Tor. 12 15 25 15
Goldworthy, Cdn. 12 9 21 8
Northcutt, Cdn. 9 12 21 23
Joffit, Cdn. 13 7 20 12
Boll, Tor. 12 8 20 10
Metz, Tor. 14 5 19 14
Smith, Mtl. 11 8 19 47
Haynes, Cdn. 4 15 19 12
Robinson, Mtl. 5 12 15 5
Wassman, Amns. 8 16 11 11
McGill, Cdn. 10 5 15 13
Kelly, Tor. 9 6 15 16
Oliver, Amns. 8 7 15 12
H. Jackson, Tor. 8 7 15 10
A. Jackson, Tor. 2 13 15 14

UNITED STATES SECTION
Dillon, Rngs. 16 10 26 6
Thompson, Cdn. 13 11 24 15
Boucher, Rngs. 9 15 24 9
Romnes, Cdn. 8 16 24 6
Aurie, Det. 12 10 22 13
Welland, Bstn. 10 11 21 9
Barry, Det. 11 9 20 8
March, Cdn. 10 10 20 23
Seattle, Bstn. 9 11 20 26
Lewis, Det. 9 11 20 23
Howe, Det. 9 10 21 9
Patrick, Rngs. 8 10 18 21
Morens, Chi-Rngs. 6 12 18 20
Brydson, Rngs-Chi. 5 12 17 13
Gottelie, Cdn. 8 8 16 4
H. Kilres, Det. 4 12 16 31
Clapper, Bstn. 7 8 15 6
McFadyen, Cdn. 8 12 15 22

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STARS UP IN TABLE TENNIS

Favorites Advance in City
Closed Championship;
Finals Tonight

Favorites advanced in the preliminary rounds of the Victoria City closed table tennis championships at the Crystal Garden yesterday evening.

Wilmot Browne-Cave, a defending champion, and one of the highest ranking players on the Coast, stroked his way to the semi-finals, while Whittingham, former English star, and regarded as the most serious contender for the crown was well advanced in the other bracket.

The tournament will end this evening when finals in both the men's singles and doubles, and women's events will be held, and the whole consolation series run off. Play will begin at 8 o'clock.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Results of yesterday's play follow:

MEN'S SINGLES
W. Browne-Cave defeated B. Rigby, 21-17, 21-15, 21-16.
H. Lowe defeated D. Davis, 21-12, 21-10, 16-21, 21-14.
W. Bowden defeated W. McGregor, 21-18, 21-14, 22-20.

C. Luskton defeated W. Kennedy, 22-20, 21-10, 21-4.
R. Sturberg defeated R. Crombie, 21-21, 21-12, 21-21, 21-11.
T. Mabee defeated D. McClure, 21-12, 21-18, 21-15.

V. Tully defeated H. Jarvis, 21-18, 21-14, 21-14.
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R. Sturberg, 21-12, 21-16, 21-8.

MEN'S DOUBLES
W. Browne-Cave and C. Luskton defeated H. Lowe and W. Bowden, 23-21, 15-21, 21-17, 21-17.
H. Pendray and D. Campbell defeated T. Mabee and R. Sturberg, 21-23, 21-13, 21-13, 21-19.

W. Whittingham and P. Sturberg defeated R. Crombie and D. McClure, 21-16, 24-22, 23-21.

VETERANS' SINGLES
H. Pendray defeated P. C. Sydeall, 21-18, 23-21, 19-21, 21-18.

WOMEN'S SINGLES
Mrs. Rigby defeated Miss Philip, 21-17, 21-13, 24-22.

TONIGHT'S DRAW
8.00
T. Chattell vs. W. Erickson.
P. Harding and A. Barber vs. R. Rigby and E. Jarvis.

W. Browne-Cave and C. Luskton vs. H. Pendray and D. Campbell.
D. McClure vs. R. Rigby.

8.30
W. Erickson vs. H. Jarvis.
Mrs. Grogan vs. Mrs. Hocking.

D. Davis vs. winner of R. Rigby vs. D. McClure.

9.00—Women's Singles and Final.
Mrs. Rigby vs. winner of Mrs. Grogan vs. Mrs. Hocking.

W. Whittingham vs. V. Tully.
Semi-finals and finals.

**JOCKEY KILLED
AS MOUNTS FALL**

New Orleans, Feb. 11.—H. Spears, an apprentice rider from Cleveland, Ohio, was killed, and three other jockeys, including F. Polk, one of the leading United States riders, were badly shaken up during the fifth race at the Fair Grounds track yesterday when their mounts fell on the stretch turn.

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LEWIS REMATCHED WITH TIGER DAULA

Vancouver, Feb. 11.—Ed "Strangler" Lewis, one-time world's wrestling champion of Los Angeles, has been granted a rematch with Tiger Daula, massive Hindu of India, it was announced yesterday.

Lewis applied for the rematch after his odd-fall defeat at the hands of the "Tiger" here last Thursday. The return bout will be a one-fall, no-limit affair.

SHUTTLE DRAW FOR TONIGHT

Stiff Matches Ahead of
Brentwood Players; Quick
Work Last Night

Games in the Brentwood Badminton Club tournament last evening were run off in short order with most of the matches going only sets.

Handicap doubles provided most of the thrills, the closest of these being the match between the team of D. Hinkes and I. McWaters and Archie Broadfoot and F. Hope. The former won with a handicap of 12.

Tonight's draw follows:
7 p.m.—C. Tolson and R. Hoadley vs. J. E. Sladen and C. Douglas; Miss P. Garrard vs. Miss A. Styan; Miss J. Carrier and Mrs. Horth vs. Miss G. Langton and Mrs. Barber.

7.30 p.m.—E. Oakes and I. MacWaters vs. G. Barber and M. Atkins; Mrs. A. J. Styan and Mrs. E. Sladen vs. Miss W. Woodward and G. Sluggitt.

8 p.m.—C. Tolson and C. Douglas vs. D. Hinkes and J. Watt; E. Oakes vs. R. Hoadley; F. Aitale vs. A. Broadfoot.

8.30 p.m.—Miss B. Garrard and D. Woodward vs. Miss P. Sluggitt and R. Knott; Miss J. Carrier and I. MacWaters vs. Miss A. Barber and G. Barber; Mrs. and Mrs. J. Mitchell vs. Miss B. Simpson and C. Tolson.

9 p.m.—Mrs. Carrier and J. Watt vs. Miss A. Jost and R. Knott; Miss M. S. Aggett and A. Broadfoot vs. Miss J. Sluggitt and M. Atkins; Mrs. B. Simpson and A. Styan vs. Mrs. Horth and Miss Carrier.

9.30 p.m.—Miss J. Styan vs. Miss B. Bruce; Miss B. Beaumont and Miss B. Garrard vs. Miss W. Woodward and Miss M. Sluggitt; Miss P. Sluggitt vs. winner, Miss P. Garrard vs. Miss A. Styan.

10 p.m.—Miss B. Beaumont and D. Hinkes vs. Mr. and Mrs. J. Mitchell; Miss A. Barber vs. Mrs. Horth; R. Hoadley and J. E. Sladen vs. A. Broadfoot and F. Aitale.

10.30 p.m.—Miss J. Beaumont and Miss P. Garrard vs. Miss A. Jost and Miss Z. Bruce; Miss M. Sluggitt and C. Tolson vs. winner, Miss P. Sluggitt and B. Knott; vs. Miss B. Garrard and D. Woodward.

**NORWEGIAN
WINS RACE**

Ivar Ballangrud Takes 500-
metre Olympic Speed
Championships

Associated Press
Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—Ivar Ballangrud, Norwegian ace, today won the Olympic 500-metre speed skating championship.

Ballangrud, all-around champion of the speed skating world, dashed around the course in 44.4 seconds, equalling the Olympic record, to capture the title by one-tenth of a second from his compatriot, George Krog.

Let Frelinger, nineteen-year-old Chicagoan, was third in 44 seconds, equalling the Olympic record, to capture the title by one-tenth of a second from his compatriot, George Krog.

Tommy White of Saint John, N.B., got a big hand for his polished style, but Tommy, like the other North American competitors, found the hard ice a great handicap. White lost much time on the curves owing to the brittle ice. He finished thirty-first in 49.8.

U.S. GAINS POINTS
On the line showing of Frelinger and Lamb, the United States moved into the unofficial team point standings for the first time since the fourth winter Olympic games opened last Thursday. Third place was good for four points and fifth for two.

Norway picked up fifteen points when Ballangrud and Krog finished one-two, but the Norwegian total of fifty-two points still is far behind Germany's ninety-seven.

Montgomery Wilson of Canada placed second in the preliminary school figures division of the figure-skating yesterday.

Karl Schaefer of Austria took the lead in defense of his figure-skating title by compiling 250.9 points in the compulsory figures. The Canadian entrant, a Toronto veteran who has won the dominion title many times, finished next with 237.9 points.

Henry Sharp of England was third and Ernst Baier, Germany, fourth. The competition continues until Friday, when the free skating will be completed.

**Tommy Loughran
Loses to Foord**

Leicester, England, Feb. 11.—Ben Foord of South Africa yesterday evening was awarded a decision over Tommy Loughran, veteran Philadelphia boxer, in a twelve-round bout. Foord weighed 216 Loughran 202. Many of the spectators booed the decision.

Vancouver Wins Overtime Game

PLEA FOR FORWARDS

Frank Boucher Seeks Return
to Orthodox Defence; Three
Games Tonight

Canadian Press
New York, Feb. 11.—Should the National Hockey League fathers ever consider making life a little brighter for harassed sharpshooters they could, believes Frankie Boucher, star centre of New York Rangers, earn the undying gratitude of all forwards by cracking down on the defencemen whose play features illegal tactics.

During the last two years a number of leading rearguards have developed a technique that would have kept them in the cooler most of the time a few years back. Today, holding, elbowing, high-sticking and several other slick tricks for obstructing goal-bound snipers are taken pretty much for granted by everyone except the indignant victim.

Boucher believes much of the howling over defensive hockey would be dissipated if the defencemen were forced to desist from present day methods and return to the more orthodox type of play.

FORWARDS HAVE NO CHANCE
"The way it is now," he argued, "if a team gets a goal or two in front and then drops back to defensive play the forwards on the other team have small chance to score. The wings lay back and when you reach their blue line you are stared right into the defence. Backers who pull, push, or interfere so that even the trickiest stickhandler cannot possibly break through for a goal, whereas if the defencemen confined themselves to perfectly legal blocking a forward could get through for a goal occasionally despite a packed defence."

The Ranger's great playmaker also abhors that overworked outlet of many hard-pressed teams—icing the puck or betting it into the crowd. He believes this could be stopped by calling for a faceoff from the spot whence the rubber was smacked out.

RANGERS MORALE HIGH
Rangers left for Montreal yesterday evening at full strength and with the morale of the club 50 per cent higher than a few short weeks ago when indications pointed to the famed blue-shirted squad missing the playoffs for the first time since the club was organized a decade back.

They have won three and tied one since Horst Moosness came to Broadway from Chicago.

It will be Moosness's first appearance as a Ranger before his old-time Montreal audience.

The Ranger-Canadiens contest is one of three on the N.H.L. bill tonight, any or all of which may effect top positions in the two sections.

Montreal Maroons, tied with Toronto Maple Leafs in the Canadian division, clash with Detroit Red Wings at Detroit and Chicago Black Hawks, who trail Detroit by two points in the American, meet Bruins in Boston.

U.S. BOBBERS IN FAST RUN

Move Into Third Place With
Speediest Descent of Day;
Italians Upset

Garmisch-Partenkirchen, Germany, Feb. 11.—Flashing down the Olympic chute in the fastest time of the day, J. Hubert Stevens' Lake Placid quartette moved into third place in the Olympic four-man bob-sledding competition today at the virtual half-way mark.

Six teams still were awaiting their turn in the second heat when the chute was closed until 4 o'clock because of the glare of the sun. The final two heats of the four-man championship competition still be held tomorrow.

Stevens and his mates negotiated the dangerous course in one minute, 19.7 seconds on their second descent, but wound up behind a Swiss team piloted by Reto Capaduzzi and the German four led by Hans Kilian, holder of the chute record of 1.18, in the combined standings for the first two heats.

SECOND U.S. ENTRY SIXTH
The second United States entry, with Francis Tyler of Lake Placid replacing the injured Donna Fox as driver, was sixth in the combined standings.

The Stevens' team hurt its chances of finishing on top for the day by a comparatively slow first heat—1:25.61. Tyler's sled was clocked in 1:25.61, the same as Stevens' in the first heat and in 1:23.85 for the second run.

An Italian sled piloted by Francesco de Zanna was involved in the worst of a series of smash-ups. Crashing on Bavaria curve, he hurled the bobbies twenty feet through the air. De Zanna himself suffered a broken nose and one member of his crew was slightly hurt.

**Marylebone Team
In Easy Victory**

Canadian Press Cable
Glasgow, New Zealand, Feb. 11.—Scoring 206 runs for five wickets today in a two-day match against Poverty Bay, the touring Marylebone Cricket Club team declared its inning—and then dismissed the home team for 105. J. H. Human obtained fifty not out for the visitors.

The Australian bottle tree furnishes food and drink for the natives. The bottle-shaped trunk holds water and contains a mucilaginous substance used as a food by the aborigines.

**PICKS GERMAN
WOMEN TO WIN**

St. Louis, Feb. 11.—Stella Walsh, Cleveland's Polish sprinter, predicts both the United States and her native country will bow to Germany in the women's Olympic Games at Berlin in August.

In St. Louis for a basketball game, Stella said numerical superiority of the German team will make it the most powerful contender.

Teams Bunched in Northwest Hockey League With Lions Beating Bucks and Ed- monton Downing Seattle

Canadian Press
The Northwest Hockey League standings provided a considerably different picture today with the Portland Buckaroos still clinging to the top rung by a lone point but with Vancouver's rejuvenated Lions in a tie with Seattle Sea Hawks for second place and the idle Calgary Tigers crowded into the cellar by the Edmonton Eskimos.

At home yesterday evening the Lions eked out a 3 to 2 overtime victory over the first-place Bucks to jump beside the Sea Hawks. Edmonton's tying Eskimos grabbed off undisputed third place with a 3 to 2 verdict over the Sea Hawks at Edmonton, crowding out the Calgary Tigers.

After a scoreless first period the Vancouver game developed into a slip-and-tuck affair with each team getting a tally apiece in the second and third sessions and Vancouver taking the win in the overtime.

Less than three minutes after the start of the second period, Clint Smith took Charlie O'Neill's pass for Vancouver's first goal but Jack Pratt scored for the Buckaroos before the session ended. Portland went one up when Rusty Jernummerling rattled in a two from Jimmy Jernumson. The Lions' front line forced the game into overtime when, with thirty-five seconds left to play, O'Neill banged in a double pass from Brian Hestall and Clint Smith.

DECIDING GOAL
The Lions' first-string forwards again rose to the occasion and gave Vancouver the nod when Hestall rattled in a blueprint pass from Smith with but one minute and five seconds left in the overtime.

At Edmonton the Eskimos turned their lone tally of the first period into the winning goal as they paced Seattle with one more in each of the two other periods.

Less Whittles took a neat pass from Mory Rimstad for the only score of the first period and Whittles added another to put the Eks two up well into the second session. The Eks, however, came to life with Harold Tabor poking the puck past Red McCusker after a lone effort and repeated the play less than two minutes after the start of the final period, to put the Hawks back on even terms. The Eks replied, however, less than two minutes later, Norm Pridham, former Vancouver defenceman, taking Ronnie Martin's pass to beat Emmett Venne in the Seattle nets.

Mr. Wismer charged that these witnesses, had they been called, would have cleared his client of the charge and attacked the prosecution for having failed in their duty of advancing all relevant evidence both for and against the prisoner. He pointed out that Squire was penniless except for a small pension for war disability, which he would lose were the conviction sustained.

He contended that proof of identification of Squire as one of the assailants was wholly insufficient. Wismer drew a mental picture of the actual identification.

The time-honored procedure of identifying suspects was to have a line-up of a number of people and allow the witnesses the opportunity of picking out the guilty person. In this case, he charged, the police brought Squire to Silverstone and asked: "Is this the man?" thus excluding the opportunity of selection required by the rules of justice and British fairplay.

An affidavit was presented by George A. Grant, crown counsel, by Norvel Easel, provincial constable who took the statements of witnesses, in which he (Easel) denied the truth of the affidavits filed by Mr. Wismer.

The court, however, pointed out that if the affidavits were true, a miscarriage of justice took place, and the proper tribunal to decide whether the constable or the other witnesses were telling the truth was not the court of appeal but a trial tribunal. Mr. Wismer requested that, in view of the importance of the case, the new trial should be by jury, which, with consent of Crown Counsel Grant, the court ordered.

NEW TRIAL FOR SQUIRE

Appeal Justices Rule on Van-
couver Waterfront Strike
Case

On the grounds that there was evidence submitted to them which, if true, would have had substantial bearing on the question of guilt or innocence of William Squire, fifty-three, white-haired war veteran, holder of the Distinguished Conduct Medal and Military Medal, of a charge of robbery with violence in connection with an assault upon Nicola Silverstone, strikebreaking longshoreman, during the waterfront troubles of last August, the Justices of the Court of Appeal have ordered a new trial, which, upon request of Gordon S. Wismer, counsel for Squire, will be by jury.

Squire was convicted on October 19 last of assaulting, with five other men, Silverstone and, besides beating the latter up, of robbing him of \$2.50. Magistrate David Gillies, of Burnaby, before whom the hearing took place, imposed a sentence of three years with five lashes.

Mr. Wismer moved for introduction of six affidavits of witnesses, five of whom were not called at the trial. Calvin W. Adams, a maintenance man, his wife, Freda, and Frank Croucher, all deposed to the fact that Squire's car, an Essex coach, was not in the vicinity of the assault, contrary to evidence produced by the crown at the hearing in October. They deposed that the car at the scene was a Whippet sedan belonging to a friend of theirs.

Emm Stenswick, a witness at the trial, swore that she informed the Burnaby police that the men who attacked Silverstone were all young men, but that she was not called upon to give this evidence.

Pearl Knutson, wife of Anton Knutson, fisherman, swore that her nine-year-old son saw Silverstone's assailants and told the Burnaby police that they were all young men between the ages of twenty-five and thirty, and made use of the expression, "Not that old man," when Squire was pointed out to him.

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**SEEK REVIEW
OF LOAN PLAN**

Refusal of Government to
Give Relief Appropriations
Serious Blow to City

Reconsideration by govern-
ment authorities of their decision
to withhold further relief
loans to cities and municipalities
this year, will be sought by the
City Council.

Yesterday evening official notification was filed with the council that this year the government would make no extra advances on account of relief as was done last year.

Mayor Leeming stated this matter had given him some concern and if the government adhered to this stand it would mean an addition of \$55,000 extra burden would mean the addition of one and one-third mills to the current levy.

Alderman Dr. J. D. Hunter concurred with the mayor, saying the extra burden would mean the addition of one and one-third mills to the current levy.

**Flash Hollett To
Team With Shore**

Associated Press
Boston, Feb. 11.—Bill "Flash" Hollett was taken up from the Cub by Boston Bruins yesterday to team with Eddie Shore on defence. Alex Motter, a wing, was also promoted from the Bruins' Canadian-American Hockey League farm team to the National Hockey club.

FEE SITUATION IS CLARIFIED

Alderman's Protest Brings
Action on Issuing of Elec-
trical Permits

As the result of an irregularity brought to the council's attention by Alderman A. McGavin, regulations governing the payment of permit fees for electrical work were brought before the City Council yesterday evening.

The regulations makes it compulsory for all

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1324 Douglas St.

Overnight Entries For Santa Anita

First race—One mile: Lumillon 107, Woodhill 107, Shasta Kup 93, August 107, Swift Return 112, Napus 107, Campus Queen 107, Sun Liberty 112, Chasman 107, Easter Sun 107.

Second race—Six furlongs: Merriweather 106, Young Count 107, Onit 115, Danfield 115, Upholder 103, Top spin 110, Trystland 115, Marciave 106, San Rafael 103, Keyed Up 106, Panaway 107, Bright Pam 115.

Third race—Six furlongs: Golden Knight 99, Norman D. 105, In Chanery 105, High Image 110, Humorous 103, Risky Miss 105, Royal Gold 107.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Sweet Chariot 111, Pacific Flight 104, Brombo 107, Tractable 106, Baliff 113, Main Grant 100, Greening 142 109.

Fifth race—Three furlongs: Golden Ivy 119, "Murph" 122, Air Flame 122, Speed Home 123, Ready Teddy 123, Not Asleep 119, Dogaway 122, Harp o' Gold 119, Cardinals 122. "Milky Way Farm entry."

Sixth race, six furlongs—David 98, Clean Out 107, Barcarolo 104, Westman 110, Sound Advice 113, Cloud D'Or 108.

Seventh race—One mile: Air Squadron 100, Dr. Spoon 106, Volition 100, West Star 110, Chatterly 106, Garry Vigne 110, Dark Ayres 100, Reproach 100, Low Bridge 105, Levee 100, Intigator 110, Charlie Chan 105.

Eighth race—Mile and sixteenth: Manager Bill 112, Dirigible 107, Uncle Fred 105, Middleman 112, Merely 109, Dutch Uncle 111, Ur 104, Grayback 107, Communist 105.

Parliament Asked to Vote \$384,427,500

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a decrease of \$2,514,650. Loans and advances call for \$895,708, a reduction of \$248,693.

Of the grand total of \$384,427,548, \$200,176,910 will be required to vote \$200,176,910, the balance being provided for by statute.

The debt maturing during the period covered by the estimates is shown at \$48,000,000, the sinking fund total \$1,763,020.

AVIATION SUMS

Ottawa, Feb. 11 (Canadian Press).—An increase of \$1,494,836 in the appropriation for aviation, and of \$283,417 for the militia, is indicated in the main estimates tabled in the House of Commons today. The defence vote totals \$137,795,985 for naval and military services, and \$8,801,100 for aviation.

The Royal Canadian Air Force appropriation has been increased by \$1,000,000. Last year's estimate was \$8,130,000. The civil aviation vote has been raised from \$751,364 to \$1,262,800, a boost of \$511,436.

Of the increase in the militia vote \$387,317 is assigned to general stores. The general vote for the militia is \$10,966,500.

The naval vote is practically stationary, increasing by only \$816 to \$2,409,500.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—A decrease of \$550,000 in the annual appropriation for pensions arising out of the Great War is noted in the main estimates tabled today in the House of Commons. The vote last year totalled \$42,000,000, while this year \$41,450,000 is asked.

The estimate for war veterans' allowance is increased from \$2,550,000 to \$3,200,000.

General hospitalization of war pensioners is expected to cost \$325,000 this year, a decrease of \$250,000 from last fiscal year.

Evidence Given By Premier

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First witness at the opening trial yesterday was Herbert L. Gussone, former St. Thomas police chief, who related Walker had once told him Premier Hepburn had "better see Walker 'd— quick or he won't have a home to go to."

PLEADS NOT GUILTY

Walker pleaded not guilty to the three charges involving the Premier. Donald McCrimmon, St. Thomas lawyer, and George McEay of Sheddon, Ont. Two other charges, involving Norman Milligan of Sheddon and Mrs. C. E. Purvis of Malahide Township,

Jack Smith On Garage Board

Elected Director at Annual Meeting of Garagemen's Association

At the annual meeting for the election of officers held in Vancouver by the Garagemen's Association of British Columbia on February 10, Fred Elliott was re-elected president of the board of directors for the province and Jack Smith, president of the Victoria branch, was also elected a member of the provincial board of directors.

A delegation from Vancouver consisting of Mr. Elliott, Earl McCormack, provincial secretary, and other members of the board of directors will come to Victoria in the near future to preside at a meeting of the local branch in order to form a committee to appear before the premier in relation to a proposed petroleum licensing act similar to the one now in effect in the eastern provinces of Canada.

Jack Smith on his return to Victoria, reports that considerable progress has been made during 1935 by the association in the interests of automobile mechanics and service men towards bettering conditions in the industry.

DISMISSES CHARGE AGAINST P. BROGAN

A charge against Peter Brogan, city relief investigator, of abusing John Haigh, a relief applicant, was dismissed by Alexis Martin, stipendiary magistrate, in the City Police Court this morning.

The informant alleged Mr. Brogan struck him when he was unable to answer certain questions while making his application.

Defence evidence was given that the informant became very abusive when informed by Mr. Brogan he could not accept the application unless the information required was provided.

H. A. Maclean appeared for Mr. Brogan.

FROST DAMAGE REPORT SLIGHT

Jack Frost struck Vancouver Island only a glancing blow, and damage to crops is reported to be slight this morning.

"It is not so bad as we expected," one official on wholesale row commented. "The broccoli crop which we thought might be wiped out was only affected about 25 per cent. You see there was only one day of real cold."

A small amount of root crops which were poorly stored have been nipped, but damage altogether is slight. Reports from gardens also indicate that bulbs and plants have not suffered unduly.

The Victoria Automobile Club wishes to inform motorists that the main arterial highways down the Pacific Coast are being kept clear of snow through the use of snowploughs. Motorists are advised, however, to take chains on the chance that they may be needed. Other information regarding the condition of roads covering practically the whole continent is available to member at the clubrooms Winch Building, Fort Street.

NEWS IN BRIEF

W. J. Bradley of Grenfell, Sask., and R. R. Armstrong of Saskatoon are among peacetime visitors at the Dominion Hotel.

Owing to the date of the Press Club Ball the Junior Chamber of Commerce will postpone its meeting for next Friday until the following Friday.

Delegates of the Amalgamated Civil Servants of Canada are urged to attend the monthly meeting of the local council at 8 o'clock to-night in the clubrooms, Bastion Street.

A meeting of St. Mary's Men's Guild will be held in the parish hall, Oak Bay, next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All men of St. Mary's Church are invited to attend.

The diamond ring which will be given away at the Press Club Ball at the Empress Hotel Friday night is on view in the jewel window of Joseph Rose's store on Government Street.

The regular monthly prayer meeting of the Russian Missionary Society will be held on Thursday at 1:15 o'clock in the Y.W.C.A., following the Shantlungh Christian Association prayer luncheon.

A queer quadruplet gladiolus corm was discovered by A. E. Evans, 1034 Main Avenue, when he was going through his bulbs to-day. The gladiolus corms are joined end to end. Mr. Evans is going to plant it.

The parish party in connection with the twelfth anniversary of St. Alban's Mission will take place in St. Barnabas schoolroom tonight at 8 o'clock. All parishioners and old friends of St. Alban's are cordially invited.

Members of the Kiwanis Club at their luncheon to-day unanimously decided to bring the University Players' Club of Vancouver to Victoria the first week in May. The play to be presented here will be "The Steps to Conquer."

The weekly card party of the Victoria West Liberal Social Club will be held this evening in the clubrooms, 414 Skinner Street. Prizes will be given and refreshments served. All Liberals and friends are invited to attend.

Three seasonal officials were confirmed in their duties for this year by Mr. Speaker, H. G. Perry yesterday. They are E. O. Weston, sergeant-at-arms; Capt. W. R. Webster, deputy; and Sydney Hamilton, assistant deputy. All held the same posts at the 1935 session.

Frederick Bertucci, 1135 Mason Street, today was granted a divorce from Ethel Kathleen Shertwell. After the calling of evidence and presentation of the case by Ernest Tait, counsel for Mr. Bertucci, Mr. Justice Robertson of the Supreme Court ordered a decree absolute with custody of the child.

Municipal delegation from Victoria and Nanaimo were understood to be seeking interviews with the provincial government today to discuss the closing off on loans for the municipal share of relief costs. Councils in both cities raised the issue at meetings yesterday evening and planned to send delegations.

The first of two pruning demonstrations being conducted by the Victoria Horticultural Society will be held in the garden of R. C. Fox, 2596 Bowker Avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. These demonstrations are made possible by the Department of Agriculture. E. W. White, district horticulturist, will be in charge. In former years these demonstrations have been very popular, and anyone interested is invited to be present.

Cottage prayer meetings are being held by Adjutant Ed and members of the Salvation Army in different districts. Tonight (Tuesday) one will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bent, 2533 Prior Street, tomorrow at 3215 Wildwood Street (Mr. and Mrs. E. Belling), and on Friday evening at 225 Wildwood Avenue (Bandmaster and Mrs. Creighton).

The meetings commence at 8 o'clock and friends living in the neighborhood are cordially invited to attend.

The next meeting of the Victoria West Community Forum will be held tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the social hall of the Victoria West United Church, when the speaker will be Mrs. O. A. Robinson of the provincial government Department of Social Welfare. She will speak on the subject of "Health Insurance."

Discussion will follow the address and refreshments will be served by the ladies' association under the direction of Mrs. George Guy, Rev. W. R. Brown will preside.

The Ward Four Liberal Association will hold its monthly social meeting tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock in the Liberal headquarters, Broughton and Government Streets. An address on the "Advailability of the Apprenticeship System for British Columbia" will be given by J. B. Clearhouse. At its conclusion the speaker will call for a free discussion. This feature will be followed by "Amateur Night." Vocal solos, recitations, imitations, instrumental specialties, the Ward Four harmony quartette and a new song, "Victoria," will be given. A tombola has been arranged. W. H. Kinsman will be the master of ceremonies.

At the second annual banquet of the Federated Association of Letter Carriers, Victoria branch, last Friday, a feature was the presentation of a Normandie Chimes mantle clock to C. W. Tubbs, past president of the branch, in appreciation of many years of untiring effort on behalf of the association and its members. Shadowgraphs by R. B. Macdonald, three reels of films depicting Garry Owl, the Indian naturalist, Canadian beavers and Vancouver Island scenes, by G. M. Warren; a clever display by Harvey Low, a Victoria Chinese youth, world's champion yo-yo player, and a splendid display of the magician's art by John Gwyn, composed the programme.

Pemberton Case Is Dismissed

Court Rules Not Sufficient Grounds For Charging Theft of \$3,000

Frederick B. Pemberton, charged with the theft of \$3,000 from John Glover, was dismissed by Alexis Martin, stipendiary magistrate, in the City Police Court this morning, when the case was called for decision on commitment.

Mr. Martin ruled there was not sufficient grounds for the case to be sent to a higher court. The court drew attention to the fact the charge was altered when the hearing opened to one of theft of \$3,000 from conversion of those funds.

In the evidence, however, there was no dispute over the facts. The informant, Mr. Glover, had deposited the money with the firm to receive interest at 5 per cent. Communications between Mr. Glover and Mr. Pemberton had not placed any stipulations on how the money was to be handled. Mr. Glover's chief interest being to receive a higher rate of interest on his money.

In his examination for discovery Mr. Pemberton had admitted the money was absorbed in the firm, Mr. Martin said, but again pointed out there had been no instructions as to how it should be used.

Obviously the money had to be successfully invested to pay the interest, and the evidence showed the promised rate of interest was paid for more than seven years.

H. A. Maclean, K.C., appeared for Mr. Pemberton.

Metropolitan Drama Victors

Carry Off J. W. Spencer Cup at Young People's Drama Festival

Metropolitan United Church players last night for the second consecutive year carried off first place in the Freshy Youth People's Drama Festival, held in the hall of their own church.

"The Old Lady's Guest" was their play, the actors were Audrey Mixon, Doris Smith and Elbert Wood. The J. W. Spencer Cup, emblematic of the victory, was presented to Rev. J. H. A. Warr, who directed the winning players, by Rev. C. G. MacKenzie.

In summing up the points of the contest, Major L. Bullock-Webster, the adjudicator, praised the winners for the splendid characterization. He also had praise, as well as constructive comment, for the presentations of Sidney United Church and Victoria West United Church.

Sidney presented "Uncle George Pops In," with a cast composed of Bunty Macdonald, Gladys Roberts, Cyril Waters, Harold Nunn, Winnifred Thornley, N. Prallek and W. Jackson. Lynn Jones, Doris Burrows, William Lewis, Anne Anderson, May Wright and Peggy Burrows were featured in the Victoria West presentation, "Good Morning, Parson."

Music was provided by an orchestra made up of Doris Bishop, piano; Gilbert Margison, violin, and B. Bottom, cello.

James McCague was in charge of the advertising and stage settings, Cecil Millay of properties, D. H. McLean of organization and George Davis of lighting.

MARKET NOTES

Cabbage prices continue high with local produce fast dwindling to an end. Cabbages are now selling in local stores at four to five cents a pound.

Egg prices advanced one cent yesterday. Wholesale quotations are now: Grade A, large 27 cents a dozen; grade A, medium, 25 cents; grade A, pullets, 24 cents.

Butter continued weak, and the market dropped another cent yesterday.

Wholesalers are expecting a car of bananas, a car of bananas, and a small shipment of vegetables which will include spinach, carrots, cauliflower, and parsley, tomorrow.

State President James W. Bryan Jr. of the Washington and British Columbia Affiliated Fraternal Order of Eagles will pay official visit to Local Eagles No. 13 on Wednesday. A. Chilton, president, will preside and a full attendance of officers and members is requested. A class of candidates will be initiated into the order. Bro. James W. Bryan Jr. is a forceful speaker and has a fine record with the great order. The meeting will commence at 7:30 o'clock. A social session with refreshments will be held after the business session. There will be a good programme of local talent.

Todd Trial Comes To End

Mr. Justice Robertson of the Supreme Court was today considering his judgment in the Todd divorce case, which came to an end yesterday evening, after having been on since a week ago Monday.

Mr. C. Elliott, counsel for Mr. Todd, made his final address to the court, H. A. Beckwith, counsel for Mrs. Todd, spoke prior to Mr. Elliott.

Call Tenders For C.P.S. Lumber Mill

The calling of tenders for the purchase of land and improvements now occupied by the Canadian Paper Sound Lumber mill was authorized by the City Council yesterday evening. The matter was placed with the lands committee with power to act. All tenders will be subject to rejection by the provincial Minister of Lands.

Obituary

JOHN WILLIAM BILTON
Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at Nanaimo for the late John William Bilton, who was fatally injured last Thursday while following his work as a miner.

The hymns, "Lead Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me," were sung by the assembly, and Mrs. Sanford sang a vocal solo, "In the Sweet Bye and Bye."

Rev. J. H. Wright conducted the service and interment was made in the family plot in Nanaimo Cemetery. The pallbearers were: James Knight, Vincent Crawley, James Revis, Joseph Tait, Thomas Hough and William Moore.

DAVID FAIR
The funeral of David Fair, well-known Victoria contractor, who passed away yesterday at his home, 1618 Camosun Street, will be held on Thursday afternoon at McCall Bros' Funeral Home at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. E. W. Horton, assistant pastor of First United Church, will conduct the service, after which interment will be in Colwood Burial Park.

JAMES BRYCE
Funeral services for James Bryce of North Saanich were held yesterday afternoon in the presence of many friends of Victoria and North Saanich. Rev. Thomas Keyworth conducted the service, during which the hymns "The Sands of Time Are Sinking" and "Peace, Perfect Peace" were sung. Interment was in Royal Oak Burial Park. The following acted as pallbearers: J. S. Watson, H. L. Allen, J. W. Wood and Mrs. B. Wood of Vancouver, formerly of Victoria. Mr. Bryce was formerly of the Dominion Bank in this city, but left several years ago to join his brother in the mining industry in northern Ontario. He was a lieutenant in the 5th Regiment, B.C. Infantry, and a member of the Garrison Battalion Club here and well known in tennis circles here. He leaves his parents and a sister in Vancouver, one brother in Ontario, and one brother in Portland, Ore. Funeral services will be held in the east tomorrow.

EDGAR BEAUMONT, WOOD
Word has been received of the death of a former Victorian, Edgar Beaumont Wood, who passed away suddenly at Matachewan, Ont., on Sunday, aged thirty-four years. A son of Rev. A. W. Wood and Mrs. M. A. Wood, formerly of Victoria, he was formerly of the Dominion Bank in this city, but left several years ago to join his brother in the mining industry in northern Ontario. He was a lieutenant in the 5th Regiment, B.C. Infantry, and a member of the Garrison Battalion Club here and well known in tennis circles here. He leaves his parents and a sister in Vancouver, one brother in Ontario, and one brother in Portland, Ore. Funeral services will be held in the east tomorrow.

EDMUND PEAVEY
Edmund E. Peavey of Discovery Island died yesterday in New Westminster, aged eighty-four years. He was born in the state of Maine, and moved to British Columbia thirty-six years ago. He went to New Westminster two months ago to visit a daughter. Another daughter, Mrs. P. E. Pike, resides at Discovery Island.

JAMES CONVERY
The death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital this morning of James Convery of 1034 Pakington Street, aged eighty-one years. He was born in Ireland, and had resided in Victoria for the last five years.

Mr. Convery is survived by his widow at the family residence, one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Walsh, Victoria; two sons in Ireland, and nine grandchildren. Funeral services will be held from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday morning at 8:45 o'clock, proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROSE ELIZABETH MCKEE
Mrs. Rose Elizabeth McKee, seventy, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Parker, at Qualicum last night.

She had resided in British Columbia for forty years, the major part of the time being spent in Greenwood, coming to Vancouver in 1929 and later to Qualicum.

Beside her daughter, Mrs. Parker leaves one son, D. C. McKee, Kamloops, and a sister, Miss Mary Kelly, Vancouver.

Funeral arrangements are pending and interment will take place in Qualicum Cemetery.

WILLIAM J. MERRYFIELD
Funeral services for William J. Merryfield, pioneer resident who passed away yesterday at the Jubilee Hospital, will be held on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel. The funeral will be under the auspices of Vancouver Quads Lodge No. 3, A.F. and A.M. Interment will be in the family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

The annual invitation ball of the Lutton Liberal Association will be held in the Colwood Hall to-morrow evening beginning at 8 o'clock.

A report covering one of the most active years in the history of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau will be presented at the annual meeting next Monday at noon in Spencer's dining-room. The election of officers of the bureau will also be held. The speaker will be E. H. Adams of Vancouver, vice-president of the Evergreen Playground Association, who will talk on the tourist business and its possibilities.

C. G. BANNER IS PRESIDENT

Elected to Head Credit Granters' Association at Annual Meeting Today

Charles G. Banner, credit manager of the Hudson's Bay Company here, was elected president of the Credit Granters' Association of Victoria for the coming year at a meeting of the newly-elected board of directors following the association's annual meeting in Spencer's dining-room today. He succeeds O. M. Prentice.

Mr. Banner will choose his own vice-president, and the chairman of the various committees.

The other members of the board are: Walter J. Fletcher, Colonel H. E. Goodman, Thomas McPherson, Lawrence Mallett, George E. MacDonald, G. A. A. Hebdon, Logan Mayhew and Louis Corke.

Mr. Prentice, as past president, is automatically a member of the board of directors.

Mr. Prentice, in his presidential address, mentioned substantial progress during the last year in all the association's activities.

Referring to the increased membership, he said: "We can now say the group includes all the progressive merchants of the city."

He mentioned the addition of a medical and dental section to the other branches of business represented in the membership, and said that the Credit Bureau was steadily being developed into a self-supporting position.

"Credit consciousness is being built up in the community," he said.

Customers realized that proper credit granting was to their best interest, knowing that the burden of bad debts was eventually communicated to them through higher prices, Mr. Prentice said.

CREDIT CONFERENCE
The association's prospects for 1936, he said, were excellent. The Pacific Northwest Credit Conference would be held in Victoria in May, and would provide a further stimulus to the proper understanding of credit granting on the part of citizens.

Lawrence Mallett, in presenting the credit bureau report, said the bureau's business had continued its steady increase during the year. In 1935, 12,585 reports had been given, compared with 9,800 in 1934, and the average number of members making use of the bureau during the year had risen from eighty-four to 109.

There had been no cases of members dropping the credit bureau's services through dissatisfaction, there had been no complaints on the part of the public.

The financial report, submitted by George Grant and E. P. Johnston, pointed to an increase in the average monthly earnings of the association, from dues and reports, from \$569 in 1934 to \$600 in 1935, and the cash receipts from \$499 to \$585.

MEMBERSHIP HIGHEST
The association had closed the year with the largest number of members in its history, said C. G. Banner, submitting the membership committee report. The figure of 215 at the conclusion of 1935 was forty-five higher than the total at the end of 1934.

Other reports were submitted as follows: Legislative committee, George MacDonald, on behalf of A. B. Stewart; educational, G. A. A. Hebdon; publicity, Logan Mayhew; attendance, A. K. Love, and programme, Thomas McPherson.

It was announced that George MacDonald would be the speaker at the next luncheon, taking as his subject "Electricity and Health."

**NEW "Y" CLUB
NEEDS TOOLS**

Craftsman's Guild to Encourage Arts, Crafts and Hobbies

At a meeting of the "Y" Craftsman's Guild, held last evening, the workshop layout was definitely planned. It was decided to start a carpenter's bench next Monday as the first workshop project. A bench for metal working and wood working lathes will also be undertaken.

Members of the guild will supply the necessary tools and the Y.M.C.A. will supply some of the lumber. How the guild will acquire the necessary lathes will be decided upon later.

At the present time the club is in need of wood and metal tools with which to equip their workshop. Anyone willing to loan or donate any wood or metal working tools to help along the work of this hobby club will be contributing to a very worthy cause and aid to establish a fully equipped workshop at the Y.M.C.A., said an official of the club today.

A quarter horsepower motor has been loaned to run the machinery and also a bench vice, bolts and several other tools. The Y.M.C.A. has given one workroom for the basket-weaving class and a large room for the workshop.

Mrs. E. Hamilton started some of the members in the basket-weaving class last evening in the preliminary stages of tray making.

Another project to be undertaken by the guild will be to make games for the boys' recreation room, trophies for tables and a seat form in the new lecture room now being completed in the Y.M.C.A. lobby.

One new member joined the guild last night. The guild will welcome anyone who wishes to attend their meetings at any time and will welcome all who desire to join the hobby groups as members.

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INSURANCE MEN VISITING CITY

Eastern visitors registered at the Empress Hotel to-day include Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ross of Regina, Sask. Mr. Ross is manager of the investment department of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada in Regina. He and his wife are stopping off here for a few days before proceeding south to spend a holiday at Los Angeles. This morning Mr. Ross called upon Fred McGregor, local manager of the Mutual Life Assurance Company of Canada.

Another insurance man from the prairies, now retired, is expected to arrive in Victoria by tomorrow afternoon's boat from Vancouver. He is P. F. Hayden of Winnipeg, formerly local manager of the Mutual Life Assurance Company, who plans to spend a month here with his wife. Other eastern guests at the Empress Hotel today are Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Ballingall to Three Rivers, Que., enjoying a holiday on the coast.

Aubrey Sjoquist, manager of the Kamloops Plumbing and Heating Company and the Kamloops Building Syndicate, is in town today. His visit, he said, had to do with the transfer of some mining property.

Thomas H. Wilkinson, secretary of the British Columbia Lumber and Shingle Manufacturers' Association, was at the Empress Hotel today on a business trip from Vancouver.

J. F. Forde, district engineer, federal department of public works, New Westminster, is also in the city today on business.

**SOCIALISM
FOR ALBERTA**

Floridan, Touring West, Says Aberhart Government Cannot Pay Dividends

"I figure Alberta will go socialist unless the dividends are paid, and they cannot be paid," Frederick A. Ogilvie of Tampa, Florida, at present engaged in an extensive tour of western Canada, said in an interview at the Dominion Hotel this morning.

"Aberhart is a very fine man personally, but Social Credit cannot succeed. He hasn't got the money. He is stalling the people off and the people are getting antagonistic," he added.

Mr. Ogilvie is connected with the insurance business. He has been interviewing the provincial governments of the prairie and western provinces.

He and Mrs. Ogilvie arrived from Vancouver on the night boat. They plan to remain here for about a week, after which they expect to return to Florida.

**Choral Leaders
Meet Saturday**

Have Arranged Good Programme For Gathering at President Muncy's Home

The monthly meeting of the Victoria organists and choral directors will be held next Saturday evening at the home of President W. H. Muncy. It is hoped there will be large attendance as a programme of unusual interest will be offered.

Oliver Stout will read a paper on "Johann Sebastian Bach," one of the greatest composers, and several well-known artists will assist in the programme.

The following will render representative works by Bach: Mrs. W. H. Wilson and Harry S. Hay, vocal solos; Misses Isabelle Pike, Barbara Fraser and Gilbert Margison, a trio for voice, violin and piano. Miss Pike will render Bach's piano number, "Giga," and Miss Fraser the "Toccata and Fuga" in D minor, arranged for piano by Tausig.

An informal discussion and the serving of refreshments will bring the meeting to a close.

Y.M.C.A. NOTES

The weekly meeting of the Toastmasters' Club of the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow evening at the "Y" will take an important form when David V. Bird, H. R. Butt, G. G. Fraser, W. S. Fraser will give talks

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Announcements

DIED
STARCK—These passed away in the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Saturday, February 8, 1936, John Wesley Starck, late residence 4140 Victoria Street, who was born in the Channel Islands, Jersey, and had been a resident in this city since 1911, coming to Vancouver Island seven years ago. There remain to survive, three sons, John, William and Harold, and three daughters, Mrs. Margaret Starck and Charles and William Starck, all of Victoria. The funeral services will be held on Tuesday, February 11, at 2 p.m., at the funeral home of the late Mr. Starck, 1111 West Broadway, where the casket will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MACLAREN—At the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday, February 9, Rev. David MacLaren, aged seventy-seven years, of 746 Victoria Avenue, Oak Bay. The late Rev. Mr. MacLaren was born in Amherstburg, Ont., and had been a resident of this city for over twenty years, and was married to Mrs. Mary MacLaren, who was a daughter of the late Mr. William MacLaren, D.D., principal of Knox College, Toronto, and was for twenty years minister in the Presbyterian Church in Victoria. He was a member of the Victoria University and Knox College, and took a post-graduate course at the University of Toronto. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Home, 1111 West Broadway, where the casket will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

FAIR—At the family residence, on Monday, February 10, at 1618 Cameron Street, the late Mr. Fair was born in Paisley, Ont., and was a resident of this city for the last twenty years and for many years was a well-known contractor. He is mourned by his widow, also one daughter, Mrs. J. A. Fair, and two sons, Mr. J. A. Fair and Mr. J. A. Fair. The funeral will be held on Thursday, February 12, at 2 p.m., at the funeral home of the late Mr. Fair, 1111 West Broadway, where the casket will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MERREYFIELD—These passed away in the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Monday, February 10, 1936, William John Merreyfield, aged seventy-two years, who was born in Cornwall, England, and was a resident of this city for the last twenty years. The late Mr. Merreyfield was a member of the Victoria University and Knox College, and took a post-graduate course at the University of Toronto. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Home, 1111 West Broadway, where the casket will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

CONVY—On February 11, 1936, at St. Joseph's Hospital, James Convy, of 1824 Pakenham Street, aged eighty-one years, who was born in Ireland, and was a resident of this city for the last twenty years. The late Mr. Convy was a member of the Victoria University and Knox College, and took a post-graduate course at the University of Toronto. The remains are resting at McCall Bros' Funeral Home, 1111 West Broadway, where the casket will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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BY CLAUDE CALLAN



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BY ROBERT QUILLEN



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Private Bills

Notice is hereby given that the time
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House for receiving Petitions will expire
on Thursday, the 26th day of March, 1936.
Private Bills must be presented to the
H. C. on or before Tuesday, the 17th
day of March, 1936. Reports from
Standing or Select Committees on Private
Bills must be received on or before
Tuesday, the 24th day of March, 1936.
Dated the 17th January, 1936.

W. H. LANGLEY,
Clerk Legislative Assembly.

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THIS BRONCO, ICK, MINDS
ME O' TH' GAL ON TH'
DUDE RANCH—SHE SEZ,
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A LOSS THAT'S NEVER
BEEN RODE BEFORE—
HAR-HAR-
HEE-HEE"

LAW-LAW-
DON'T YUH GIT
THET, ICK?
LAW-LAW-
DON'T YUH?

OH, VAIS-
VAIS-
LAW-
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HEE-HEE

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PROPOSED ZONING
BY-LAW

NOTICE is hereby given that the Council
of the Corporation of the District of
Saanich will hold a hearing in the
Council Chamber, Municipal Hall, Royal
Oak, B.C., on Friday, February 21, 1936,
at 10.30 a.m.

A copy of the proposed by-law may be
seen at the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak,
B.C., during office hours, from the date
of this notice to the date of the hearing.
R. P. SEWELL,
Clerk.

Dated at Royal Oak, B.C., this 7th day
of February, 1936.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY
ANN SANDOVER, late of the District of
Saanich, in the Province of
British Columbia, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons
having any claims or demands
against the Estate of the late Mary Ann
Sandover, who died on the 2nd day of
January, 1935, at Sidney, in the District
of Saanich, in the Province of
British Columbia, are required to send
by prepaid letter post or to deliver to
D. D. MacFarlane, K.C., 26 Times Bldg.,
Victoria, B.C., Solicitor for the
Executor of the Will of the said Mary
Ann Sandover, their names and addresses,
and full particulars in writing of their
claims and statements of their accounts
and the nature of the securities, if any,
held by them.

AND TAKE NOTICE that after the 21st
day of February, 1936, the Executor will
proceed to distribute the assets of the
said deceased amongst the persons en-
titled thereto, having regard only to the
claims of which A. D. MacFarlane, Solicitor,
shall then have had notice, and that
the Executor will not be liable for any
paid assets or any part thereof to any
person of whose claim the Executor shall
not have received notice.

DATED at Victoria, B.C., this 21st day
of January, A.D. 1936.

A. D. MACFARLANE,
Solicitor for the Executor.

ADVERTISE IN THE TIMES

By WILLIAMS

Civilization Destroys Self

Prof. Day Says Any Reform
Is Step Toward Socialism in Lecture

"Any reformation of the
capitalist system calls for a
definite step toward socialism,"
said J. Friend Day, professor of
economics at the University of
British Columbia, in a lecture on
"Economic Planning and the Way
Out" before the University Ex-
tension Society in the Girls'
Central School yesterday evening.

"We are in a chaotic condition," he
said. "But there have been chaotic
conditions before. However they
have never been able to settle them
permanently. Every civilization is
born with the germ of self-destruction."

Economic planning was nothing
new. It was the oldest problem
known to man, and Prof. Day delved
into history to prove his assertion.
Two thousand years before Christ
there had been a Babylonian civil-
ization in the Tigris-Euphrates valley.
It had definite system of govern-
ment and part of its code had been
incorporated into the standard laws
of today.

The empire of the "haraohs" had
gradually changed in Greece into an
agricultural aristocracy which en-
slaved the former peasants. Then came the
inevitable revolution and the rise of
the order of tyrants. These gave
place to a form of democracy which,
as in the case of other civilizations,
finally collapsed.

LEGACY OF WAR

War had speeded up the decay of
the capitalist system, Professor Day
said. The war had left a legacy
which he listed as follows:

1. The "backward" peoples who had
been the market for goods before the
war became competitors.

2. The development of man's
dominion over nature. The technique
of production had been tremendously
increased during and immediately
following the war.

3. When the "punks" gathered
for the peace conference, new
frontiers were created solely for
political expedience and without any
economic reason.

4. Reparations and war debts had
brought the growth of economic
imperialism.

5. The dominant creditor nations,
United States and France, with most
of the gold in the world sterilized in
their vaults and with huge tariff
barriers, refused payments of any
kind except in gold, bringing about
a mal-distribution of gold.

6. The League of Nations, with
high ideals but an inherent weakness
in that it accepted as final the
sovereignty of states as they existed
under the Treaty of Versailles.

UNIFICATION OF FINANCE

"If we are to do any planning, we
must first bring about some sort of
unification of the world of finance,"
the professor said. "It is ridiculous
to expect, for example, Britain to pay
off debts incurred in buying copper
at the exorbitant price of forty-two
cents a pound when copper has
fallen as low as four cents a pound."

Russia had put in an economic
control which had been the greatest
success in the history of the world,
Professor Day admitted, but he did
not believe that her methods applied
to Canada.

In discussing planning under

NOTICE OF APPLICATION
FOR A CLUB LICENSE

Notice is hereby given that on the
11th day of March next, the undersigned
the British School Club intends
to apply to the Liquor Control Board
for a Club License in respect of the premises
situated at 1218 Langley Street, Victoria,
B.C., upon lands described as Lots 1623
and 1624, Victoria City, Victoria Land
Registration District, in the Province of
British Columbia, to entitle each member
of the said Club to keep on the premises
a reasonable quantity of liquor for per-
sonal consumption on the premises in
accordance with the provisions of the
"Government Liquor Act" and the regu-
lations promulgated thereunder.
Dated this 11th day of February, 1936.
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As Advertised

Capitol—Ronald Colman in "A
Tale of Two Cities."

Columbia—"Broadway Gondolier,"
starring Dick Powell.

Dominion—"The Widow From
Monte Carlo," starring Delores
Del Rio.

Playhouse—Conrad Veidt in
"Power."

Crystal Garden—Swimming.

socialism, the professor said, that they
would have to have technical and
scientific knowledge applied with
authority, "and when you have that
you do away with the shibboleths of
democracy."

National planning under this
system would have to be co-ordinated
to meet international organization,
he said, and this body would have to
be much more effective than the
present League of Nations.

J. L. Watson, president of the
society, was in the chair. Following
his talk, Professor Day answered
many questions.

Movie Party
Weatherbound

Confined to Studios, But Find
Snow Pleasant Change
After Hollywood

Still kept indoors by the re-
mains of the snow, Central Films
Limited is nearing completion of
inside shots for "Gunsmoke,"
western horse-rustling story
which is the third picture to be
made by them in Victoria for
Columbia Pictures Incorporated.

Despite a row of gas heaters around
the walls, the Willows studio is not
warm place to work in these days.
On Saturday afternoon Fannie Bar-
ton, blonde and charming leading
lady, found it hard to suppress a
shiver as she leaned in a thin sum-
mer dress over the dying fire.

Mr. Kerr's realistic drying gases
were considerably assisted by a set
of perfectly unassuming shivers,
which ran up and down over the
bristles of a ten-day beard, clothed
with make-up blood.

In between shots performers, cam-
eramen, directors, technicians and
plain old men-of-whom there are
legions in a movie studio—clustered
around the heaters, which had to be
turned down during each take be-
cause of the hiss of the gas.

However, in spite of the discomfort
of working in the cold, Miss Barton
said on Saturday that she was de-
lighted with the snow. It made a
pleasant change after Hollywood. The
rest of the company apparently share
her opinion, for they got down to
snowballing during the lunch hour
Saturday with as much gusto as any
Victoria children.

"Owing to the overcrowded con-
dition of our columns," says this
week's Potluck News, "a number of
births and deaths were unavoidably
postponed this week."

To-day's Crossword Puzzle

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Stocks Reach New High Levels Today On Wal. St. List

Canadian Press
New York, Feb. 11.—Stocks swung into another broad advance today's market with many issues mounting to new high levels for the last several years.
Despite profit-taking gains of fractions to 2 or more points predominated.
The closing tone was strong. Transfers approximated 3,500,000 shares.
Leadership rotated between the stocks, railroads, utilities and specialties. Even the utilities took their turn in the buying movement. So-called "blue chip" stocks were in demand throughout, although lower-priced issues were not neglected. The ticky tape frequently fell behind in the "rush for the favorites." Trading quieted during the morning, but the dollar exhibited strength against the principal foreign currencies. Grains and cotton, however, were unable to get up steam. Bonds were steady.
Conspicuous shares in the forward push included U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Republic, Ludlum, Great Northern, Central, Santa Fe, Southern Railway, Delaware and Hudson, General Motors, Nash, U.S. Smelting, Anaconda, American Smelting, Pure Oil, General Electric, Deere, Consolidated Gas, Columbia Gas, and American Water Works. Allied Chemical and Western Union got up 4 points or so each.

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)
Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:
Thirty Industrials—152.35, up 1.16.
Twenty rails—48.01, up 0.82.
Twenty utilities—33.48, up 0.62.

The range of today's Dow Jones averages was as follows:
INDUSTRIALS
11.00—151.64, up 0.49.
1.00—151.97, up 0.82.
1.00—151.96, up 0.71.
2.00—151.97, up 0.82.
RAILS
11.00—47.65, up 0.46.
12.00—48.11, up 0.81.
1.00—47.94, up 0.75.
2.00—47.96, up 0.77.
UTILITIES
11.00—32.99, up 0.13.
12.00—33.17, up 0.31.
1.00—33.12, up 0.26.
2.00—33.37, up 0.71.

High	Low	Close
Air Reduction	191-2	191
Allied Chemicals	125-8	125-4
Alcoa	47-2	47-2
American Can	30-1	30-1
American Locomotive	30-1	30-1
American Radiator	30-1	30-1
American Rolling Mill	30-1	30-1
American Smelter	30-1	30-1
American Sugar	30-1	30-1
American Tel.	30-1	30-1
American Tobacco	30-1	30-1
American Waterworks	30-1	30-1
Anaconda Copper	30-1	30-1
Atchafalaya	30-1	30-1
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NEW YORK METALS

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tric, spot and future, 2.25; export,
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Lead, steady; spot and nearby, 48.12½;
future, 48.62½; to 49.75.
Zinc, quiet; unchanged.
Steel, steady. New York, 4.50 to
4.55; East St. Louis, 4.35.
Iron, dull. East St. Louis, spot and
nearby, 24.00; future, 24.00 to 24.05.
Aluminum, 19.60 to 22.00.
Tin, quiet. Spot, 12.47½.
Cranium, 10.00.

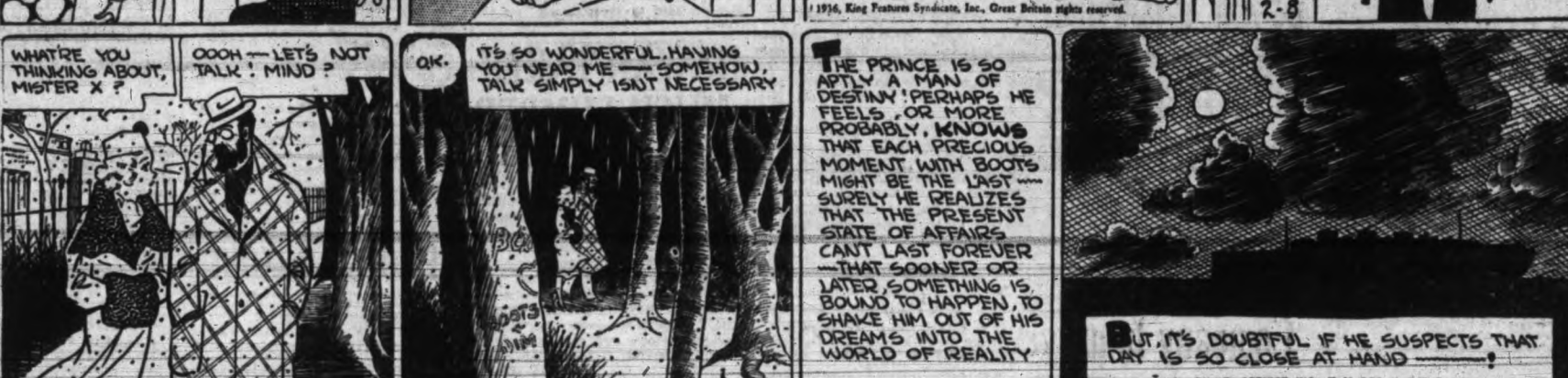
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Alley Oop



Ella Cinders



Tarzan And The Fire Gods

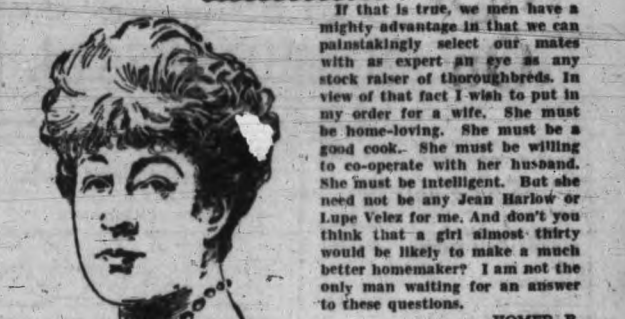


The Gumps



Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—Dr. Paul Popenoe says that 20,000 women start stalking the men they want in marriage during high school years. Is it possible that men are that scarce?



If that is true, we men have a mighty advantage in that we can painstakingly select our mates with an expert eye as any stock raiser of thoroughbreds in view of that fact I want to put in my order for a wife. She must be home-loving. She must be a good cook. She must be willing to co-operate with her husband. She must be intelligent. But she need not be any Jean Harlow or Lupe Velez for me. And don't you think that a girl almost thirty would be likely to make a much better homemaker? I am not the only man waiting for an answer to these questions.

Answer—Whether it is scarcity of men with matrimonial intentions that causes girls to start stalking their prospective mates in their high school days or whether it is sheer instinct that makes them man-hunters, I do not know. I only know that the great majority of girls who go to the co-ed colleges frankly assert that they do so in search of a husband and not in search of knowledge.

Since matrimony has even more disadvantages and hardships for women than it has for men, nobody can explain why girls are so determined on marriage. But they are. Apparently they use no discrimination in the selection of their mates, or take any consideration of the future. Every day we see girls marrying men whom they know to be worthless. We see them marrying men with no jobs, or jobs so poorly paid that they cannot even support one, to say nothing of two. We see them wrecking the careers of fine young men whom they are dragging to the altar before the men are ready, and we wonder why this mania for marriage. But no one has the answer.

It is no new thing, though, that men have the advantage over women in picking out their mates. They have always had that because convention has given them the initiative in courtship. For this reason I have always felt that men were more to blame for unhappy and unsuitable marriages than women were. A man's wife represented his taste and judgment, whereas a woman's husband is her opportunity. The man could look them all over and take his choice, but the woman has to take what she can get.

Your order for a wife is so moderate that it amounts virtually to a table d'hôte menu and you should be able to get it filled anywhere. All around you there are plenty of girls who are home-loving, good cooks and intelligent, and who will be glad to work shoulder to shoulder with their husbands.

But the trouble with most men is that, while they desire all of these qualities in their wives, they still want them to be Miss America and maudlin and night-club dancers. And inasmuch as you are willing to waive the cinema-star stuff and take a girl who knows how to make biscuits instead of how to make up her face, all you will have to do is just sit still and let some one of the twenty thousand husband-pursuing damsels capture you.

Also, perhaps the reason you have not found this paragon you seek is because, like most men, you have looked for her in the wrong place. Perhaps you have hunted for her around cocktail bars instead of at home. The reason lots of girls seem so silly and frivolous is because that is the type of girls who have the most dates. The sensible ones don't dare show how much intelligence they have.

DEAR MISS DIX—I have a fine husband and children. I smoke cigarettes. My husband and children want me to quit and complain about the house reeking with tobacco smoke. My husband gets on my nerves when he says cigarettes are what makes me nervous, easy to take cold and with a sallow complexion, and that he has lost his desire to kiss me because of the stench of cigarettes on my breath. Also, he says he considers smoking as degrading spiritually and morally to a woman. If I quit smoking, my women friends who smoke will think I am lowering my standards. I don't want to give up my cigarettes, by my husband is good to me and the children and a fine provider. What shall I do?

Answer—When you put a kind and generous husband, your children and your home and your domestic peace and happiness on one side of the scales and a cigarette on the other, you must see how the one outweighs the other, and not only how wrong but also how foolish you would be to give up all the big and really worth-while things in life for a puff of smoke.

I do not smoke myself, but I have never been able to see cigarettes as a moral issue, or why it is any more harmful for a woman to smoke than it is for a man. But the right or the wrong of it does not matter when it becomes a family issue and breaks up the peace and harmony of a household. This is your case. It is offensive to your husband and children for you to smoke. It lowers you in their eyes. It is killing your husband's affection for you and weakening your influence with your children. You would be lacking in every attribute of the true wife and mother if you were not willing to sacrifice whatever pleasure you get out of smoking for the general good.

Don't bother about what your friends think. No doubt they will tease you about giving in to your family prejudices. But in their hearts they will respect you for having had the courage to do the right thing.

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Uncle Wiggily and the Happy Tree

By HOWARD R. GARR
One day when Uncle Wiggily was hopping through the snow past a little grove of trees, he heard them talking among themselves. Perhaps you didn't know that trees talk, but they do. You often have heard the wind moaning and sighing or perhaps whispering or whistling around the corner of the house, I'm sure.
Well, that is the way trees talk, but not everyone can understand them. Uncle Wiggily, who is a very old and wise rabbit, was able to hear them. He had heard the grove of trees, Mr. Longears heard one of them saying to the other:
"Oh, dear! What an unhappy life we lead!"
"That's true," said another. "We have to stay here rooted to the same spot year after year, never going anywhere, having to bend and bow and lean when the wind blows us. Silly, I call it."
"Right you are," said a third tree. "The only way to get away from here is to be cut down and taken away, and you know what happens after that."
"Yes, we are chopped into fire wood or sawed up into boards to be made into houses," said a very sad tree.
OLD TREE'S COMMENT
"Well, what of that?" asked another voice. Uncle Wiggily could see it came from a tree, but it was different from the others. It was an old Christmas tree that, after having served its purpose over the Santa Claus holidays, had been taken down and thrown into the grove of growing trees. The old Christmas tree leaned against a sturdy oak on which still rustled some brown, dried leaves.
"What if you are cut down and sawed into house boards?" asked the old Christmas tree with a jolly laugh. "Think how fine houses are."
"Listen to who is talking!" said the oak in a sort of sneering voice. "Why, Old Christmas Tree, you haven't any roots. You were cut down long ago. You are all dried up, or you will be when summer comes. Then we shall be all leaved out again in bright green."
"Yes, I know that," said the old Christmas tree. "But I'm happy when I think of the jolly good times I had when I was first cut down and taken into a house—the same sort of house that some day you trees will be made into! I heard to help build a house that was the most beautiful and comfortable I was allowed with lights."
"On Christmas morning the children gathered around me, and a horn was blown. They sang happy songs and wished me another 'Merry Christmas!' I tell you I was very happy."
STILL HAPPY
"And are you happy now that the lights are gone and all the presents stripped from you?" asked the oak tree.
"Of course, I am," laughed the old Christmas tree. "I am happy when I think what joy I gave you on Christmas. Cheer up, you fellows! Don't be so sad! You will have fun all the rest of your lives when you are cut down and made into house boards and happy laughing children will live in them. Cheer up!"
"Don't be silly," said the oak, while Uncle Wiggily looked on to see what would happen next. "I'm sad and unhappy and I'm going to stay so."
"Oh, you aren't!" laughed the old Christmas tree. "There is something I haven't told you. I forgot to tell you that I'm going to be a Christmas tree again. I am going to blow it for you and play a tune. That will make you happy."
Then the old Christmas tree blew his horn and the grove of trees couldn't help singing a song. Then Uncle Wiggily looked. Lo and behold! It was his own old Christmas tree that, by blowing from the Christmas horn, had made his old friends as happy as he. How the jolly old rabbit gentleman laughed. And if the umbrellas will tell the rubber boots whether or not it is going to rain tomorrow, I'll tell you about Uncle Wiggily's story.

HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel"
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 1936
After the early hours this day is a day of good fortune. According to astrological aspects strongly dominate. While values and forecasts may be seen under this way the mind may be troubled by uncertainties. It is well not to be impulsive. Women should not attempt any public work or seek any important positions under this planetary government, for it is imperatively favorable to men. Jupiter is in a place indicating expansion of industry and enterprise. Daring, supported by plenty of resources, should be successful. Again the stars forecast new fortunes for Americans, but wealth will be shared largely with government. This is a lucky day for promoters who have something worthwhile to present, but it is unfortunate for reckless speculators of every sort. The configuration adds men who hold public trust to them with more confidence than formerly, but they will demand many reforms. Girls who are college students should develop their individual gifts, whatever they are, in the business and professional world those of only average attainments will be many obstacles. There is promise today for those who seek the help of persons in places of power, commercial or political. Persons whose birthdate it is to have the augury of a year of much happiness or, which friends contribute. Business should be on the up-grade. Children born on this day probably will be popular as well as successful in whatever vocations they choose. Subjects of this sign have strong characters, keen minds and a high sense of responsibility. Abraham Lincoln was born on this day, 1809. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Theodore Roosevelt, Polish patriot, 1748, and Charles Robert Darwin, naturalist, 1809. Copyright, McClure Newspaper Syndicates

